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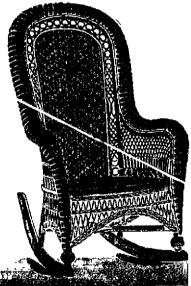
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By the President of the American Protective Association.

Session-Cleveland Denounced-Allison and Reed Criticised-Other Republicans Commende,1.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 3.-W. J. H. Traynor, supreme president of the American Protective a ociation, is about to issue an official circular reviewing the progress of the organization and the political situation. He states that a large number of the members of congress are also members of the A. P. A., pledged to the following measures, most of which will be intro-duced into the house during the pre-

To secure a just distribution of federal offices: to establish a national university; to restrict immigration and regulate naturalization; Linton's joint resolution amending the constitution, prohibiting for all time sectarian approprions; to open to public inspection all monastic and private or similar public institutions that are not under state control; prohibiting the official recognition by the United States or any officer thereof of any dignitary

the official recognition of as the delegate or representative of any church or ecclesiastical power; prohibiting any body of men other than members of the United States army and navv and of the militia of the various states from drilling or parading with, or keeping in any armory or using firearms or deadly weapons of any kind, such act not to extend to the Uniform ranks of benefit societies except to debar them from drilling with, or keeping firearms.

Mr. Traynor also reviews presidential possibilities and attacks President Cleveland in these words:

"It is doing no injustice to Mr. Cleveland to assert that if the United States had been a papal country and the pope a temporal sovereign, our president could not have given more recognition to the papacy as a temporal power than he has during his present term of office."

Allison and Reed come in for a fair share of condemation for what Mr. Traynor alleges as their pro-papal at-titude and their antagonism to the patriotic orders. He presents the names of Hon. W. S. Linton, of Michigan; Senator John H. Gear, of Iowa; Gov. W. O. Bradley, of Kentucky, and ex-President Harrison, as worthy the support of the A. P. A. He affirms that in the event of any indication of the republican party "truckling to Rome," that "a new party should and must re-

Mr. Traynor does not believe in confining the attacks of the order to the priesthood of the Roman church, but denounces plutocracy and monopoly in strong terms. He declares the movement for the arming and drilling of Irishmen in this country a sinister movement of the Roman Catholic church to mobilize a Catholic army in the republic to supplement the moral force of the church so secure ascend ancy when the nation shall be inat prices that will interest volved in a crisis, such as a war organ and printing house at Washington and upholds the Monroe doctrine, but denounces the war scare as the result of a conspiracy between the president, priests and plutocrats, the first to secure re-election; the second to gain ascendancy while the nation is involved with a foreign country, and the last to profit by bond issues at "war rates of interests" upon a gold, interest bearing basis. He op-poses a bond issue as infamous and declares that a war between the United States and England would be a "mutual calamity and international sin."

#### DR. JAMIESON SHOT.

The Ultiauders Rebel and Burn the City of Johannesburg.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—There is a rumor siloat that Dr. Jamieson has been shot by his captors, and another that the Uitlanders in Johannesburg have risen against the Boer government and given the city over to flames. What truth there is in these stories, it is, of

telegraph lines.
At 6:50 o'clock last evening a representative of the United Press called at the foreign office to confirm, if possible, the rumor of the shooting of Dr. Jamieson. He was informed by offici als there that they had received no information further than already made public. No news had been received from the Transvaal since Thursday

Mr. Chamberlain, colonial secretary was at the office waiting for dispatch-He has had frequent conferences with the war office and admiralty of-ficials, but no special instructions bearing on the situation have yet been issued to the naval or military author-

AFTER the great battle of Cannae 52,312 dead men were found on the field. GREAT BRITAIN DOW OWNS 6,212 Cannone; France, 8.210 and Germany 5,920.

### A STRONG CIRCULAR MURDERED FOR HER MONEY. con- plainant are W. E.

Mary Lee, a wealthy young lade appeared. The morning she left drew \$700 from the bank and went on CONGRESSMEN PLEDGED TO REFORMS.

driving. The next morning the rig was found hitched in front of the owner's house. A diligent search was made for months, but no trace was found Bills to be Introduced at the Present of her. Yesterday morning the body was found under a corncrib on the farm of William Lee, an uncle, and was identified by the clothing.

Her valuables and money were missthat she was foully dealt with.

#### Suiceded in the Prisoners' Dock.

MERIDIAN. Miss., Jan. 4.—Joe Beas-ley, a negro, while being tried in a justice's court at Mantley post office, near this place, yesterday, cut his throat, dying in a few minutes. The court was waiting for a witness by whose testimony the negro would have been convicted of stealing a bale of cotton. He was given a knife which he had asked for to make a peg to fasten his coat. Turning from his wife, who sat next to him, with the remark: "Well, a man can die but once," he slashed his right jugular vein, and then, shifting the knife to his left hand, cut the vein on that side also, and was hacking at his throat when overpowered.

#### Coal Miners Strike.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Jan. 4.—Five hundred miners of Taylor & McCoy, the Mitchell Co. and the East End Coal Co., of Gallatin, are out as the result of the refusal of the operators to grant them an advance of ten cents a ton. It is expected that this morning fully as many more will leave their work. On account of the big demand for coal, efforts will likely be made to compromise the matter.

#### Before the Hig White Chief.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.- A delegation of Indians from the Cherokee council who have been in Washington some time endeavoring to present certain grievances to President Cleveland, had a personal interview at the White House Thursday. The president manifested much interest in their statements and requested the delegation to submit their grievances in writing.

Rebels Invading the Province of Havana HAVANA, Jan. 4.- The rebels are invading the province of Havana, their line of march being in the direction of Melena. Several columns of troops have been ordered to oppose them.

A smaller rebel force is also marching on Aguacate. Two columns are operating against them.

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France boasts of a navy of 408 ships of 290,000 tons and 621,000 horse power, and eighty others in process of construc-

Since Napoleon "died like a caged lion in his exile home" 6,000,000 French men have perished in the wars of that

Tur "five natious of Europe" own 2,310 war ships, mounting 88,209 guns, all ready for "immediate service."

THE War of the Lovers was the seventh religious war of France, waged between the years 1576 and 1578.

On a peace footing the regular army of China comprises nearly 400,000.

W HEN they put a man in jail, he cannot follow his

cannot follow his natural inclinations. His enjoyment of life is limited. He cannot cat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal dict. He is alive to be sure, but life doesn't possess very many advantages. Are not all these things equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat what he likes, nor as much of it as he would like. If he transgresses any of transgresses any of the rules of his diet,

the rules of his dict, he is punished for it. He is unfers much, gets little sympathy. Dyspepsia starts with indigestion, and may lead to almost anything. Indigestion means a variety of things—it shows liself in many ways! At first, perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn. Headaches begin to come pretty soon after that, and biliousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and it is probably the most serious trouble chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and it is probably the most serious trouble that ever takes hold of a man. Its seeming simplicity is the thing that makes it most dangerous, because it leads to neglect. Constipation means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The poison is being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body is being filled with it. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any disease. There is no telling that may come of it. Constipation is the start of it all. And yet people are careless about it. It is the most serious thing in the world, and the easiest to cure if you go about it right. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure ponstipation. Cure it positively, certainly, infallibly. Cure it so it stays cured. Cute it so you can stop taking medicine.

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pair.

20 dozen Ladies' and Children's Black
Wool Hose, were 35c, cut to 22c a pair.

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THE Cubans are still making things interesting about Havana.

Gono has recently been struck in both Tennessee and Wisconsin.

candidate. Who will be the next

England would probably now decline to refer the Venezuelan matter to the president of the Transvaal Republic.

Last year the Cook county assessors found only 481 fire and burglar proof safes in that county, while the Macon safes in that county, while the Macon county assessors managed to find 208.

county assessors managed to find 208. THE entire Venezuelan commission,

according to the pictures printed, has not enough hair to build a respectable is not in favor of McKinley. This we The year 1898 may be full of good things, but while it may elect so to do. and who it was the people repudiated in

it cannot relice Grover Cleveland. That 1893 and 1894. The people sometimes will be left for 1807, blessed year. PRESIDENT CLEVELAND is so couse. Hed to and deceived by such organs as entious that he would rather sell gold the Times. Anyhow McKinley is not bonds than sign a protective tariff bill running as a Democrat.

to promote business in this country. Ex Gov. FORAKER has been inter. with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they viewed about declining the nomination Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disfor president in 1888. Evidently John for president in 1888. Evidently John wase, and in order to cure it you must sherman never heard of it or the might take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh have added another chapter to his book | Cure is taken internally and acts directly

of recollections.

The state of South Carolina has physicians in this country for years, and made a contract with an Indiana bottle is a regular prescription. It is compresed works for a large order of half pint and of the best tonics known, combined with pint whishy firshs with "S. D." blown in the best blood purhiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two juggedients to cultivate its theory of dying in the

THE Spanish press says the Cubana will soon find themselves between the "dovil and the deep sea." The Cubans have a notion that they have occudied that position for about 300 years and all ready for "numediate service." are now engaged in flanking both the devil and the deep sea.

THOMAS C. PLATT declares that he is in dead earnest and will be for Morton first, last and all the time, and has no Morton may have to close his career by writing a book bearing on the intrigues of party leaders in the St. Louis convention.

Tus hypocritical book-keeping, resorted to by the present administration, shows an excess of receipts over expenditures for December by barrying over the last eight days' cost of running the government in that month to January, just as they did at the end of the fiscal year.

The Forum gave figures to show that the vaunted "armed peace" of Europe costs the people more than \$1,000,000,000 per annum.

THE Decatur Review says the hypocrisy of the Republican party is shown by Discovery know its value, and those how the fact that lynching has been done in Kentucky since the Republican gov-try it Free. Call on the advertised Druggist and get a Trial Bottle, Free. ernor has been mangurated. Does our Send your name and address to H. E. cootemporary expect that the average Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sum Kentucky Democrat can be refermed in

THE McKinley tariff bill created a demand for American labor. The Wilson bill creates a demand for foreign capital to pay the expenses of government, while the poor working cannot buy the necessaries of life, except the farm er's products, any cheaper, and his show for work has been largely diminished.

Ir would have been much cheaper and much more satisfactory had this government simply told England that it could not one cupy a foot of disputed territory in Venezuela territory unless they first acquired title to it through arbitration, than to organize a commis sion to take the matter under advise

Dir. C. S. Jamuson, who led the British territory grabbing existion against with his army by the last. England has a seed the capters to be kind to the of 250,00 tons and 621,000 horse power, and disclains all responsibility.

The army by the last. England because of a navy of 408 ships of 250,00 tons and 621,000 horse power, and disclains all responsibility of the second of all new styles in hair dressing. It the general plan of the tichu, rapping and disclains all responsibility than the second of the sec the Boars, has been car together for the attempted "hold up." Had Jamieson been successful, England would view the matter differently.

England probably had no time to easy, reduces the soreness and inflamma-tion. Every one likes it. West's drug pray God to prevent them from making war on the Transvaal republic. The movement was so sudden and they thought they had a sure thing. The Dutch president, Kruger, seems to have a half centuries before Christ. stood in the place of God in that instance, and killed and captured the outfit, and England is now very penitent. swelling it will not subdue, no wound it will not heal. It will cure frost bites, chilblains and corns. Sold by J. W. Lich-

And now those who are seeking the defeat of McKinley say that the Mc Kinley people in congress could have defeated the bond bill in the house, but; well armed camp and has so been for refrained from doing so, knowing a free more than a quarter of a century. silver rider would be nut on it in the senate, and that would throw it back in 185,000 men fought, and of that number the house and force Tom Reed to define 185,000 were killed or wounded. his position on the silver question. That is a very sicely whine, and is not very remedy for croup. Safe for children and creditable to Mr. Reed. If he is afraid guluts. West's drug store.

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THE Wabash

If the trusts.

in buying e tional conve St. Louis ne nominate fi motor, Wilhad idency, the Den the next election. not susceptible to r vention, the people outliated McKinley pace, and they will Republicans persist with the nomination. even if McKinley pos acter of a statesman, acter of a statesman, which he does not, he lacks the intellect. His range of vision is narrow and contract-ed. When the McKinley bill was being Tennessee and Wisconsin.

They are now talking in Kansas of making Justice Brewer a presidential candidate. Who will be the next

scrupulous politician but is the author of a crime against his countrymen-a

consent to elevate a traitor to the high-est honor in their gift.

We would judge from this the Times

can endure but to be fair it should state whether the United States senate had

anything to do with the McKinley bill

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who shot himself rather than suffer the

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nger and C. F. Schilling.

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At the present time all Europe is a

Ove Minute Cough Cure is a popular

country.

It was rescribed by one of the be-1

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a means of concealing an ugly face, it is almost an even chance between a woman's hair and a man's whiskers. A man may acquire a single or double pointed chin, may cover up his mouth, if it happens to be objectionable, by the power of contrast can even alter the look of his nose, by face is too short he lets his beard grow and trims it to a point.

Other defects in the make-up of his face are remedied or concealed by vari-

the style that is wanted. After that the hair may be divided into as many parts as necessary.

A very pretty arrangement for thick hair is done in this way: Tie the hair securely about half way from the neck to the crown of the head. Then take a strand at the top about equal to onefourth of the hair, tie a knot at the end, and roll it up making a horizontal puff. Then twist the remainder of the hair into an equine knot, and the coiffure is arranged. Add a jeweled comb and the effect is very pretty. A more laborate style can be obtained by adding more puffs.

Some women have great difficulty in rolling the hair into the glossy cylinders. Those who find it impossibe, get over the difficulty by rolling the hair on kid curiers. This makes good, sebut are made by looping the lair over the two forefingers and then twirling them around each other until the lock wound up.

Threb parallel puffs running horizontally with jeweled side comb and a decorative piece of tortoise shell to set it off make a pretty and easily arranged coiffure.

To vary the figure eight, pull out different styles in the cut of his beard or the twist of his mustache. If his it stand away from the head. Two little curls at the back of the neck are the latest thing and are very fascinating on just the right sort of girl.

No woman brushes her hair back flat



takes a man with the courage of his sure, there are no stray hairs, and very countenance to "wear" a smooth face. little bang; but the effect around the Once settled upon the style of his whis- face must be rounded-brushed over er, however, the average man seldom | false roll if necessary, though it is usuhanges it.

This is where the woman has an advantage of him, because she can the hair fluffy-not curly-so that it change the arrangement of her hair will stand out from the head at the Send your address to H. E. Bucklen every time she "does" it. There is her proper angle without any apparentrea-& Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. Ring's New Life Pille. A trial will convince you of their merits. These morning knot at the back of her neck, son why. the chic afternoon twist, and the elaballs are easy in action and are particuand around the ears that changes the tures who can tear it.

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ous devices known to the barber. It and smooth around the face. To be ally sufficient to wave the hair on a very small iron. The small iron makes

With the advent of the nompadour orate evening coiffure, subject to as the part shows signs of disappearing. many variations as her gowns. This Some girls wear a combination of the alvers the shape of her head and only two, rolling the hair back from the part affects her face by the force of con- and giving their faces a heart-shaped trust. It is the arrangement of the appearance. This style is very trying hair about the forehead and temples and it is only the girl of exquisite fea-

Hair ornaments are sonumerous that no one need be at a loss for a Christmas present for a weman, while fashions remain as they are. Jeweled places, and smoothed down in others, combs, spangled teathers, and aigrettes The Japanese women recognize this are the favorites, but anything that fact, and because they admire small sparkles is as appropriate on the hair



NEW TWISTS FOR MAIDENS' TRESSES.

temples to make the face appear small- | self attractive by giving attention to

the puff to fathom them as soon as posand aggravates the disease. Instead of waiting, try One Minute Cough Cure, hand, and even if she is the average it helps at once, making expectoration woman cannot afford to spend her money that way. It is a very simple art to learn to dress one's hair neatly, but to arrange it artistically requires the study of one's "points."

It is inexcusable in a woman to neglect her hair. Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, who is in her 81st year, arranges her hair in the little soft hang several inches below the waist. white puffs that are so familiar to all who know her, as punctilliously as a

One can acquire great facility in hair isfactory Christmas presents. dressing by a little practice. It is easier to puff hair that is comparatively short than the long tresses that hang and such presents are considered en-below the waist, but if the hair is tirely proper for young gentlemen to Ar the great battle of Banneckbarn properly prepared it will roll into a puff

no matter what its length may be. To begin with, no coiffure can be well arranged unless the hair is first there is plenty of time to ouy-it is

who shet himself rather than suffer the pangs of independent. Husband-The foral Why didn't be take De Witt's had as he did before I commenced take around the face were very common.

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and as ubiquitous as the miniature in jewelry. The young matton wears a dainty, soft ficha over her breakfast gown. The fashionable girl dresses her evening waist with the same decoration, high at the neck or law, according to the elaborateness of the occasion. A pretty style is to throw the fielia over the shoulder, shawl fashion, then catch the ends at the side of the waist with a handsome buckle, allowing them to

Collarettes and lace fronts fastened to ribbon collars are still much to be debutante preparing for her first ball. desired, and, by the way, are most sa:

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Suits, Overcoats, Pants.

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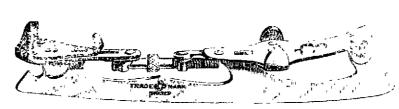
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## Full Clamp, fall Steel Skates,

~25c Per Pair. On Sale

Our stock is still too large and we will continue our Red Price Sale un= til February 1st, which is our annual date for taking stock.

Take advantage of this very great opportunity to get good goods cheap.

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Only Sold at

SATURDAY, JAN. 4, 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

SKATING is all the go. SMOKE the Defender eigar.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Box and Bulk Candies at Whitley's Crars in all sized boxes at Whitley's. Monday at 9 a. m.

The largest stock of cigars in town at West's drug store.

Rich and poor, everybody can afford TRY them -- the Bouquet and Little

Rose cigars, made by Michl. USE HINKLES BEST FLOUR. TEAMS were put into the Linn &

Scruggs cellar to-day to haul out the Just before going to bed, eat a Casca-

ret candy cathartic. Makes you feel Go to Henry Bros. bakery for all

kinds of cakes, pies, etc. dec26-dtf USE WHITE LOAF FLOUK

Ir has been a little too cold for the carpenters to work on the roof of Line for property taken and \$450 for dam-& Scrugge' temporary building at the ages. Costs to be deducted. carpenters to work on the roof of Line corner of William and Franklin streets.

Go to the Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, from pumps, force pumps feb6-d&wff

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR Ir you want to keep warm this winter have Leon & Morris put in one of their They can do you a good job. oct23-dtf

tire living expenses. Call upon the manager L. Chodat and learn how.

The janitor of the Turner Hall property, Wm. Denz, sr., is laid up at his home on South Broadway with three broken ribs. He was injured during the fire. Dr. Cass Chenoweth is the attend-

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR

at the yard office, 800 North Broadway, ter, it is said, refuses to work, and re

There was a large attendance of friends, in-law, that he still refuses to work. who accompanied the remains to Boiling Springs cometery, where interment took place. The pallbearers were V. W. Benton, D. Smart, A. H. Roby, I. Luckenbill, J. B. Good and J. H. Rainev.

# This Day.

50 Stylish Ladies' Cloth Garments, including Capes, Jackets and New Storm Coats, worth \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50, all at one price, \$5.95 each.

12 China Seal Capes, 30 inches long, 100-inch sweep, at \$9.90 🦠

A lot of Misses' and Children's Jackets, worth \$5.00 to \$8.50,



### THE JURY ALLOWA

Property Owners Will \$3,990 for Opening Divis Street.

extension of the sixty-foot street from Mrs. Perry. The attorneys for the com- Mo, the Golden Rule. Main to Church. The property con-plainant are W. E. Redman and W. N. desire demned for this purpose is owned by Boggess. Mr. Pharo has engaged Net lectur thankful for the liberal the Pugh heirs, Phoebe J. Ryder, son & Whitley to defend. Mrs. Fletcher sions. In our old store the Phoebe B. Ryder, W. J. Magee and is a dress-maker of middle age who re Samuel Grimm. The widening from sides on Mason street. Her parents are bered enlarged our trade and Water to Main cuts thirty feet each off dead. Mr. Phare says "there is nothing poor frimply beyond anything the Magee and Grimm properties in it."
which lie on the south side of Division, William Niedermeyer, in the name of Magee being on Water and Grimm on himself and his son Arthur, sues the Main. The extension from Main to Wabash railway company for a total of Church cuts thirty-five feet from the \$3000, alleged damages as the result of south side of the Pugh property and the collision at the Church street crossthirty feet from the north side of the ing of the road May 28 last. Mills Ryder lots. All the lots condemned are Bros. are attorneys for Mr. Niedermeyer, THE rubble schools will reopen next unimproved with the exception of that who declares that because of the acciof Phoebe B. Ryder, on which there is a dent his business suffered and that he house and barn, the house facing on has paid out \$160 for surgical attention.

> bouse would be over the street line. In the case of the Pugh property no switchman in the employ of the com contest was made. In the other cases pany. Leforgee & Lee represent the the compensation asked and the amounts | plaintiff. allowed by the jury are as follows:

> allowed by the jury are as follows:
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> W. J. Mages asked \$1500 for property taken and \$250 for damage to remaining property. The allowance made is \$990 for property taken and no damages.
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> Samuel Grimm asked \$900 and \$500 damages; allowed \$600 and no damages.
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> Physics of the jury are as follows:
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> SCHOOL CENTRALS.
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> Founts to be Visited by Supt.
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> Keller in February and March.
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> February 4, Ocean Wave; 5, Walker;

ages. Phoebe B. Ryder asked 82,000 and \$300 damages; allowed \$450 and \$350 damages.
Pugh heirs allowed \$1,150 for property

The jurymen were: W. F. Vaughau, Gleason, Noah Jacobs. Henry Barnhart, John T. Howell, D. F. Ryan, M. M. Holmes, I. R. Rogan, Isaac Peeper and F. W. Hardy.

. The verdict of the jury is generally considered reasonable and just. The celebrated Akron Air Blast Furnaces, average allowance for the 180 feet frontage of property condemned is at THE favorite instruments are the Reed | the rate of a little over \$22 a foot. Prop-& Son's and Haines upright pianos, sold orty owners wanted more than that but in Decatur only at the C. B. Prescott the city's contect was to lessen the val-The Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit throughout was managed skillfully in Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entre living expenses. Callupon the man. Then uation as much as possible. The case

#### FOSTER IS FRACTIOUS.

Refuses to Work at the Pen and Comes to Grief.

A report has reached Pana that Noan Foster, who murdered Arthur L. Bin-No nerres soft coal in this market and for his crime was scutenced to life than Lincoln or Mt. Olive. Buy it of imprisonment at Chester, is causing the M. F. Metz. Personally he can be found authorities all manner of trouble. Fos-For Broadway office, Old Phone, 433; cently for his refusal was placed in the New Phone, 435. Also leave orders pump tub, and came so near drowning with T. W Cann, 628 North Main, or that the officers were compelled to rewith Harry Metz, at King & Metz' drug move him. He was next put through store. Hard coal, all sizes, always in the freezing process, during which oper- Brothers; J. S., A. W. Kellington; tyler, stock at market prices. Nov. 11-dt. ation his feet were so badly frozen as to THE funeral of the late Mrs. Caroline necessitate the amputation of one of Stoll was held Friday at the Methodist thom. Notwithstanding all this cruelty, church at Forsyth. The services were it is stated through information received conducted by Rev. W. I. Berketresser, by Garge Stegmeyer, Foster's brother-

Mrs. Nancy Wayts, aged 75 years, widow of Andrew Wayts, passed away home of her daughter, Mrs. John M. Kazar; Warden, Miss Flora Kitchen; She had been ill three weeks and pneumonia was the cause of death. The Mary Belly Sacratory Mrs. Alaku Tradition of the dropping norther southerner; but 5C efficient the dropping norther southerner; but 5C efficient the dropping norther southerner; but 5C death. The Mary Belly Sacratory Mrs. Alaku Tradition of the stincts than three Lord in death at 4 p. m., January 3, at the deceased had been a resident of Decatur for 40 years. Her children are Mrs. John N. Gili, of Oswego, Kansas; James Mrs. Seeforth, made a speech and after Wayts, of Abilene, Kansas; Katie V. the installation refreshments Lowry, of Talmage, Kansas: Mrs. John M. Fletcher and T. L. Wayts, of Deca tur, and Robert Wayts, of South Wheat take part in the target shooting tourns-

The funeral will take place from the residence at 12:30 p. m , Sunday. Interment at Mt. Gilead.

Dr. E. B. Waiston Injured. Yesterday while making professional calls on West King street. Dr. E. B. moneys, and in some of the matches the Walston was seriously injured by a first money will amount to as much as runaway accident. Something happened \$100. Mr. Powers shot against the same to the Stanhope buggy shaft, and the class of marksmen at the tournament at horse became frightened. Buin was Cleveland last summer, and got tirst unable to control the horse, and he was money from some of the best of them; jerked out of the rig. He was pretty and while he has not shown very good badly shaken up and was rendered un- form in the various local shoots that conscious for a time. The physician have been held lately, he expects to do was given succor at the home of Ed. Willis where on two previous occasions in his lifetime Dr. Walston had received kindly treatment in times of accidental the home of his son, Malon Croninger, trouble. Ed. brought Doc home and in Willow Branch township, Peter the horse was corralled at the Hill & Croninger used after an illness of sev-

The will of Ruth L. Ashbrook was filed for probate Friday. It was executed church. The burial was in the Havely Sept. 16, 1895, and attested by D. L. Foster and W. C. Dimock. The estate consists of notes, accounts and personal property valued at \$1,000 all of which is left to the two daughters, Maggie R. Cassidy and Ruthie D. Evans. Hiram Johnson is named as executor and filed bond in the sure of \$2,000 with W. C. Dimock as surety.

SCHOOL CENTRALS.

February 4, Ocean Wave; 5, Walker;

Macon; 7, Elwin; 10, Mt. Zion; 11,

March 2, Boiling Springs; 3, Warrens-

time received a teacher's certificate are

the branches in the eighth year work,

These regulations apply to the final as

pearer to the Decatur High School

Officers Installed.

PROGRESS LODGE.

On taking her office the vice-guard.

Gone After Purses

Chauncey M. Powers left for San Au-

tonio, Texas, last night where he will

ment to be held there four days next

week. The meeting will be a big affair,

and many crack target shooters of the

country are entered. Purses amounting

to \$2000 have been added to the regular

Death of Peter Croninger.

eral weeks. The funeral was held Sun

On Friday evening, December 27, at

as well as ever next week.

served.

27, Boody; 28, Blue Mound.

burg: 4, Excelsior, 5, Hadley.

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Prairie Hall; 12, Bois 'd Arc; 13, Oakley: 14, Eldorado; 17, White; 18, Porcyth; 19, the Churc Prairie Chapel; 20, Bethel; 21, Argenta; 24, Maroa; 25, Niantic; 26, Harristown; annual ele fresh Eggs. is the retir

10c The C secration ( Sound Cranberries Regulations: Pupils who have at any will be led meeting co not eligible. Pupils who do not take all They will ) good Lemons Next 1 Oc

will receive no diploma, neither will they be ranked; the eighth year pupils who have taken the ninth year arithmetic.

Prosbytern can take that in lieu of the eighth year's las services 10c and the Creston's Pancako Fanu

Pupils will receive a rank in but one have charge 25c sentral. Those receiving an average of M. E. chure 80 plus or minus will not be permitted, each night, at Cleaned Currents.

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with friends home-made Mance Meat At a meeting of Macon Lodge No. 8, At a meeting of Macon Lodge No. 8, Many of 25c. F. and A. M., last night, the follow-been at home ing officers, who were elected a month returned to good Mince Meat, such

ago, were installed: W. M., Dr. W. A. among the nu Cor 1212c Dixon; S. W., G. A. Stadler; J. W., J. Cool, Cordelia 20C W. Carter; treasurer, George W. Bright; Mary Moore, Sod Country Butter secretary, Guy P. Lewis; S. S., J. P.

Col. sl 5C Richard Nixon. After the installation Brodess served an oyster support to the members present.

Col. Smiley. It Butterine. American Doblin Y. M. C. A. OC The newly elected officers of Progress Grand Rapids / OC lodge, No. 141. Daughters of Rebecca, were installed last night as follows: N. His perso OC.

G., Mrs. A. Seeforth; V. G., Miss Cordic ing. A well she UC Underwood: R. S., Daniel Myers; L. S., by a mass of glife Starch Mrs. T. Woodruff; Chaplain, Mrs. Metella derment a pair Mary Bell; Secretary, Mrs. Alpha Tottle stincts than the ful, cloquent ta

fender of the prievery cent spent for to be right." a. A trial will con a. A trial will con The address is

Jecture is free. this sale 200 boxes lecture is free. ackers sold in one Jersey Milch in about 16 pounds, Thirty head of y needs. Cost about which are now free, we guarantee all Palace Feed yard no sale.
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Miss Eva 🖣

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in the city to day on business

West North street.

for Chicago. Thence be will to visit his Egyptian friends.

lives and friends in this city.

companied by his son, Brenny.

for the Western Suspender Co.

S. B. Moll has gone to Mansfield, O., to

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Foulks have

returned home after a visit with relatives and friends in Indianapolis.

Miss Maud Jeffres, who has been

Misses Edith Sanders and Florence

Miss Ollie Kennedy, of Jacksonville, is

Miss Helen Miller of Cincinnati was in the city yesterday, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Cool while on her way to Clin-

her home in Springfield after a visit in Decatur with her parents, Circuit Clerk

Grain Rate Action.

samed their conference on Friday. The

on Monday, January 20, to the basis in

effect September 1, 1895. This, of

grain shipments moving in all directions

via all the gateways, and on Monday

next the rate clerks of the interested

THE BOUNDARY COMMISSION

Meet To-Day for an Informal Talk Over

the Work Before Them.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Four of the five members of the Venezuelan boun-

dary commission will assemble in the

diplomatic room of the state denart-

ment at 11 o'clock this morning for the

purpose of having an informal talk

over the work before them. Those

who will be present are Justice Brew-

er, Prof. Gilman, Chief Justice Alvey

and Mr. Coudert. Mr. White will be

unable to be present, and it is likely

in his absence organization will be postponed. The commission will prob-

ably hold its session at the residence

Brown's Business College.

Night school opens Monday evening,

January 6. Reduced rates of tuition till

April 1. Call at the college or write for

The Forum gave figures to show that the vaunted "armed peace" of Europe costs the people more than \$1,000,000,000

SNICARTE is the name of a new post

dines will meet as Kansas City to carry

check up the tariffs.

of Justice Brewer.

Sarff is postmaster.

McNeil have returned home after a visit to the grandmother of the former, Mrs.

Sparrow.

Montgomery.

Central avenue.

ton to visit friends.

and Mrs. E. McClellan.

resume his duties as traveling salesman

tend the annual bicycle show.

lay from a visit at Mechanics burg.

William Molz, of Pana, was in Decatul

Attorney I. D. Walker is in Newman

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SATURDAY, JAN. 4, 1896\_\_

THE Cubana are still making interesting about Havana.

Gonn has recently been struck Tennessee and Wisconsin. They are now talking in Ka with conmaking Justice Brewer a preglunespoll

candidate. Who will be the net ENGLAND would probably nows. | Clos. to refer the Venezuelan matte.... president of the Transvaal Rep 50% LAST year the Cook county

found only 481 fire and burg safes in that county, while th 25% county assessors managed to fi THE entire Venezuelan co 1948 according to the pictures pr not enough hair to build a re 3234 9.3"4 5 65 5.07%

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PRESIDENT CLEVELAND ibar ago, 142. entious that he would rathers. bonds than sign a protective were 318, an

to promote business in this clof 398. Ex Gov. FORAKER has for the week Ex Gov. Foraker has in shipments viewed about declining the, fair; market

for president in 1888. Evi Sherman never heard of it ∉off yesterday, have added another chapter Trade small; of revollections.

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market steady "last ditch." Thi Spanish press say RKRT. will soon find themselves prices paid by "devil and the deep sea." have a notion that they that position for about devil and the deep sea.

Thomas C. Platt declipesk on "The are now engaged in flan ......

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SING ON HAYANA. PERSON

Seems Beyond Doubt.

The Year's Sugar Crop Practically Destroyed-Maj. Jesus Palomino's Rosy Report of the Situation in the Troubled Island.

Mrs. G. M. Proctor is visiting Mr. and NEW YORK, Jan. 4 .- Jesus Palomino, Miss Bertha Grout is in Mechanics-burg to visit for a few days. aidedecamp on the staff of Lieut.-Gen. Antonio Maceo, the Cuban revolu-tionary leader, whose army is now Bert Johnson is confined to his home with an attack of rheumatism. closing in on Havana, has just reached New York on a secret mission of importance. In an interview he said: George E. Miller, of Blue Mound, was

"Nothing can now prevent the be-Frank Faries has gone to Chicago to sieging of Havana by our armies It is not our purpose to attack, destroy or Mrs. O. H. Fullenwider returned to narass Havana. We intend to ent off the supplies of that city. The success of the revolution in Cuba is now as-John Rainey, who has been in Chicago or the past week, returned home yester sured beyond question.

"Our plan to destroy the sugar plantations has succeeded admirably. L. W. Cook has returned from a trip have burned over fifty million dollars' of several weeks through the southern worth of property on the plantations, including the case in the fields. There S. M. Baldridge went to Bloomington yesterday to attend the funeral of R. M. are 364 sugar plantations in Cuba. of which over two hundred have been G. H. Fulter, of Cleveland, is a guest

The revolutionary armies, which of the family of Frank P. Howard on have invaded Matanzas and are no close to Havana, are divided into Robert Stover has returned from Pana, where he visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Stover. sisting of 1,200 cavalrymen, is un der the command of Col. Lacret and Col. Matagas. The main invading Miss Stragard, of Sidney, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. Al. Cretors at her home in Riverside. army is under the command of Gen Antonia Maceo and Gen. Maxim Gomez. The latter has 2,000 cavalr Col. John A. Reeve will leave to night Thence he will go to Cairo from Camaguey and two Hotchkis rapid-firing cannon. Gen. Maceo ha 200 foot soldiers from the eastern dis Mrs. Lezzie Bess has returned to her trict and two Maxim quick-firing guns nome in Rosemond, after a visit to rela-The rear guard of these invading armies is led by Brig.-Gen. Quinto Wayne Wilson is at Attica, Ind., to try the baths of that place. He is ac-Banderas, who has 1,000 inrantry.

"There is not the slightest danger of our being overwhelmed from the rear. From where we are now, clear back to the eastern end of the island, we have left strong armies to protect

the territory.
"We have divided all of Cuba, east of Havana, into four military districts. In the most easterly district, which is Mrs. Owen McCune, of Terre Haute, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Moore, of East Leafland avenue. the first military division, we have an army of 5,400 men under the command of Gen. Jose Macco. In the second military division there are 6.600 the city visiting Miss Anna Walston, left yesterday for her home in Springfield. revolutionary troops under command of Maj. Gen. Rabi. Col. Salvador Rios George Handy and wife, who have been the guests of A. Kramer and famis in charge in Munzanillo; Col. Florenzio Salcedo in Bayomo, and Brigadier ily, will leave on Monday for Bay City, Mich. Saturnao Loro in Baire and Luguini. Col. Agairro.

"In Camaguey, in the third military division, we have 1,200 troops under Maj.-Gen. Jose Maria Rodriguez. In Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oxley have returned to their home in Cisco after a visit in Decatur with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. tary district, we have an army of 15,-000 men, all armed, as is the case with all the troops I mention.

"A revolutionary army of 600 armed Mrs. Hitchcock and daughter, Miss Mollie, have returned to their home in Aurora, after a visit with Mrs. C. W. men has been lately gathered in the tobacco country, to the west of Havana. It is in charge of Gen. Pedro Delgado, and it has begun to march visiting in Decator, the guest of her aunt, Miss Marguerite Kennedy, at 516

toward Havana.
"The Spanish army is powerless against us. The Spanish generals have in the province of Las Vegasover seventy thousand troops, but they have not been able to accomplish one defeat, although we have there only 15,000 soldiers. There are now 30,000 regular Spanish troops in Cuba, besides a so-called volunteer force of 60,000 men raised on the island. What

do they all amount to? "Between 30,000 and 40.000 of the Spanish regulars have died from The executive officers of the Kansas wounds and disease since the revoluernor has been maugnee N. Catto, lots and Nebraska lines interested in the tion began. The Spanish troops are contemporary expectRolling Mill addi-Kentucky Democrat h. Pancingar at Thursday at the Southern Hotel with of Spain. They are sons of farmers.

Distribution of American Relief as Harpoot-Armenian Conserts to Islamism Rejected.

London, Jan. 4.—The correspondent of the United Press at Constantinople telegraphs under date of January 2, The porte has informed United States Minister Terrell that Americans shall be permitted to distribute relief to the Armenian suffer ers at Harpoot without bindrance. In secondance with the orders of Minis ter Terrell, M. A. Jewett, United States consul at Sivas, started from that place from Marsovan on Janu-

The porte explains its action in suspending the distribution of relief at llarpoot upon the ground that the government desired to have the relief furnished through a commission of three, composed of one American, one Turk and one Armenian. Subsequently, however, the porte informed Mr. Terrell that the Americans might afford relief to the Harpoot sufferers, and assured him they would not be

The male department of the Amerian college at Harpoot has resumed work.
Aletter received in Constantinople

from Marash says that the Armenian Protestants at Abbasstan have accepted preservation. Orders have again been sent instructing the Turkish authorities in Asia Minor that all Armenians expressing a desire for conversion to the Mohammedan faith must be re-

Fire at the Cook County (III.) Insane CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—The laundry attached to the Cook county poor house and insane asylum at Dunning was de-

stroyed by fire at one o'clock this' morning. The loss is \$25,000. office in Mason county, and James B.

There was some excitement among the patients, but an extra force of guards kept them under control.

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## CLEARING SALE!

Balance of Stock Must be Sold. Each day we will change articles advertised. Pay close attention to our ads this month.

### SPECIALS TO-DAY.

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### CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

Children's Dresses on sale to-day, 1, 2 and 3 years, at	. <b>4</b> 9c
Children's Dresses, 4 to 14 years, at	.980
Children's Cloaks, 2 to 6 years, at	.980
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Ladies' Jackets, odd lot, fine quality, at	-5.00
Fur Capes, \$50 quality, at	25.00
Fur Capes, \$60 quality, at	30,00
Fur Capes, \$75 quality, at	37,50
Fur Jackets 75.00, at	35,00

Big Cut in Fur Collars, Muffs, Boas, Etc.

## Clearing Up Sale.

UR Clearing up Sale will include everything in Boots and Shoes. We must have money, and realizing that the people will buy when they can get goods at a bargain we have concluded to put everything in the way of footwear down to prices within the reach of the most careful buyer. We quote you for this sale only a few sample prices:

> Men's Enameled Calf Shoes with invisible cork soles. Our former price was \$5.00; we will now sell them for \$3.50.

Our Hanan & Son's Shoes in all styles lasts. Our former price \$5.00; we will now sell at \$3.50.

Edwin C. Burt's Ladies' Enameled Calf Button Shoes, bought to sell at \$5.00. They are just the thing for winter wear, as they will keep the feet warm and dry. We will sell them at \$3.00 a pair during this sale.

We also have about 300 pairs of Ladies' Fine Shoes in plain toes, sizes 2½ and 3, in all grades, made to sell at from \$2 to \$4. a pair. We will hand them out to the people at only 69c a pair and will sell one pair or one hundred pairs, just as you

We want to get cash, and if good goods and low prices are any inducement come and examine our stock. Our annual invoice takes place March 1, and we are determined to turn \$10,000 worth of these goods into money before that time. Now is the time—you will never do better.

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The F. H. COLE SHOE CO., B. F. BOBO, Manager.

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148 East Main Street.

#### FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

(First Hession.) BENATK.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 -For ovturmoil of a figureral discussion. It was opened by an hour's source a frest the finance committee in support of his resolution to set apart the reserve treasury and separate at from the ordinary current receipts. He arened financial defliculties of the government than the unwise tariff legislation coupts below expenditures, had ingovernment to sell bonds in order to meet deb seneses and that there was no other remedy except to borrow pay current dehosonoles, and to protent and for those purposes to wis willing to support. Mr. Cleveland's actagreed with its general policy.

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#### FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS. (First Session.)

IENATE. WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 .- For over five hours to-day the senate was in the turmoil of a figureial discussion. It was opened by an hour's speech from Mr. Sherman-a leading member of the finance committee-in support of his resolution to set apart the reserve fund of \$160,000,000 gold, when in the treasury, and separate it from the ordinary current receipts. He argued that there was no other cause for the financial difficulties of the government than the unwise tariff legislation of congress which had reduced reecipts below expenditures, had impaired confidence and compelled the government to sell bonds in order to meet deficiencies, and that there was no other remedy except to borrow money on the best terms possible (to pay current deficiencies) and to provide sufficient revenue. To that extent and for those purposes he was willing to support Mr. Cleveland's administration, however much he dis-

ngreed with its general policy.

The coin reserve must be, Mr. Sherman said, kept unimpaired, instead of being drawn upon to meet current expenses. The impairing of that fund (from which \$62,000,000 had been paid out in the last two and a half years) was the source and foundation of all the financial difficulties and the true remedy was to supply by taxation additional revenue, and to borrow from the people of the United States enough money to cover past and future de-

No action was taken on the resolution, which lies on the vice-president's table, to be taken up for future discus-

At soon as it was laid aside, the res olution offered some days ago by Mr. Elkins declaring it to be the sense of the senate that United States bonds should not be sold under private contract, and without advertisement, was taken up and discussed with much spirit until the time of adjournment. A motion to refer it to the finance committee was defeated by the immense majority of 48 to 6, and the adjournment motion was carried by a majority of only one.
The senate, at 5:36 p. m., adjourned

till Tuesday.

The house reassembled under the arrangement heretofore announced by Mr. Dingley (rep., Me.), merely for the purpose of adjourning until next Mon-

#### A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY

Enacted by a Four-Year-Old Boy Who Found a Hidden Pistol.

Moreland, Ky., Jan. 4.—A horrible ragedy was enacted by children near Mil. adgeville, Thursday, and as a result there are three little ones dead or

Milledgeville is a little village in Lincoln county. Thursday afternoon three little girls named Walters, aged, respectively, four, six and eight years, were playing in a room in the Walters In the room was a young boy named Walters, aged about four or five years. He had been constantly at house, where he played with his little consins.

The four children were playing to gether as usual when the Utile boy by some means secured a pistol, which had been secreted about the house. The little fellow, in playing with the weapon, succeeded in discarrging it. The weapon was londed with five cartridges. After learning the modus operandi of firing it, he turned upon the little girls and began firing. One was shot through the hpp., another was shot through the abdomen. The third was not injured, but a bullet went through her elothing. Then the boy placed the pistol under FLORIDA his own chin, and, pulling the trigger. Reache sent a ball crashing through his head . lowed its way through to the top of his head, coming out above the ear.

It was found on examination that the two girls will die. The boy is lingering between life and death.

ENGLAND IN THE TRANSVAAL Abundantly Able and Quite Willing to

Protect Her Claims. Loxpon, Jan. 4 .-- The Standard today says that Emperor William's message is a strikingly unfriendly act. It raises the presumption that he wishes to either challenge or destroy British suzerainty in the Transvaal. thermany, it adds, has no anore locus ets at greatly reduced rates to the following standing in the Transvaul than Great meetings

to defend them. We are a peaceable Taylorville, account Christian county Farmers people, but if others will not permit destinate, set Jan. 23t and 24th; good returning the set of remain in peace, we are expected bit Jan. 25th. One and ona-third fare roun to defend them. We are a praceable us to remain in peace, we are capable of accepting the unwelcome ordeal with composure.

#### DESTRUCTIVE FLAMES.

Creston, lows, the Scene of a Disustanus

Confiagration. CRESTON, Ia., Jan. 3. - The most disastrons are in the history of this city occurred this forernoon involving a loss of about \$150,000, and wiping out & large section of the business part of the town. It began in Horton & Bannister's furniture store, the cause being unknown. The fire department was almost powerless to cope with the ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL. froze the water almost as soon as it left the nozzle of the hose. The Summit house, the post office, the American Newspaper Co.'s office and 14 stores were destroyed. The insurance is not over \$30,000.

#### SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIRST PRESHYTRRIAN CHURCH,
W. H. Penhallegon, D. D., pastor. Sunday
Schbot at 9:30 n.m. Services at 10:45 a.m. and
7:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor 6:39 n.m.
Morning subject "One Fold and One Shepherd."
Lvening, "The Model Preacher."
Strangers and all others not worshiping clse
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College Street Chapel.
Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. G. Wells, Supt.
WESTMINSTER CHAPEL.
Corner of Macon Street and Haworth avenue.
Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. J. Simpson, Supt.

Rev. D. F. Hewe paster. Class meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday school at 9.45 a. m. Preaching service at 10.45 a. m. and 71.39 n. m. Morning theme, "The Wonderful Adormaent." Evening theme: "The Red Cross of Calvary." Prelude, "Clara Barton and the Red Cross in Armenia, d

SARGEANT'S CHAPEL.
Sunday school at 2 p. m. Class meeting at 3:15

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CHURCH STREET SUNDAY SCHOOL.
Sunday school every Sunday at 2:30 p. m. in
1800 block North Church street. All persons in
that neighborhood cordully invited. mat neighborhood cording mytted.
CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCHENTIST.
Bible lesson service at 10:30 a.m. Subject
The Forcumer of Christ Jesus." Wednesday evening study at 7:45. Front Rooms,
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Rey, A. W. Hawkins pastor. Services in W.
C. T. U. halt. Sunday school at 0:30 a. m.
Preaching at 10:35 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning
theme: "Buxing up Time," a New Year's sermon. Evening: "The Law of Recompose." a
revival sermon. Y. P. S. C. E. service at 6:30

p. 10.

FRIST ENGLISH EV'NG, LUTHERAN,
Corner of N. Main and William streets, Rev
Frank C. Oberty, bastor. Services at 10:30 a. m
and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m
Preaching morning and evening by the pastor.
All strangers and triends welcome.

81. LUKE'S LUTHERAN CHAPEL. Corner Leadard Ave. and Charles St. Sunday

school at 230 p. m.

SAINT JOHN'S CHI RCH—EPIRCOPAL.
Rev. Frank N. Atkin rector. Holy Communion.
Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening service and sermon at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:0a. m.
Mr. R. W. Chilson and Miss. Ella Bassey will sing a duet in the morning.
Grace Mission. (Episcopal) Rast. Eldorado street. Sunday school at 3 p. m.

street: Summay school at 3 p. m.
GORMAN M. E. CHURCH.
Corner of North Jackson and East North
streets. J. C. Repp. pastor. Class meeting at
9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p.
m. Epworth League meeting at 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

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GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

R. G. Hobbs, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:59 p. m. Class meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Sacramental service and brief sermon by the pastor at the morning nour. In the eyening the pastor will preach on "Rendering Unio God His Own." Mission Sunday school, corner Herkimer street and Broadway, at 9 a. m.

Col. Smiley will speak on the "American Dollar and How to Secure 17" in Y. M. C. A. hadi to morrow at 3.50

purpose of adjourning until next Monday.

Sp. or Reed announced that he had signed the bill to accept the ram Katahdin, and then, at 12:15, on motion of Mr. Henderson, the house adjourned.

Morrow at 3 and control of Corner of Church and Eldorado Streets. Rev. Corner of Church and Eldorado Streets. Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Freaching at 10:15 a.m. and 7:30 p. in. V. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. in. Waythwer Misslam Sinday school, corner Mr. Henderson, the house adjourned.

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It entered at the base of the chin and lowed its way through to the top of this head, coming out above the ear.

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#### WABASH EXCURSIONS.

Britain has in Havana. Great Britain cannot and will not tolerate the slightest interference between the Transval and herself.

The paper dilates upon German tostility to threat Britain everywhere, and avows the latter's desire for friendship. It then issues a warning, saylar:

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Wastreet for bargains in all kinds of secondhand goods. Also a full line of new Tinware
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price paint for second-hand goods. D. H. Hight,
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WANTED A good girl to do general house-work; no washing. Good reference re-gelred. Mrs. W. H. Elwood, 724 West William street.

ward has noved his barber step to his old location, West side Lincoln Square. Drop in and have your rough beard removed. Oct 21-dit WANTED—too hatles to visit Madame Skinner and get her prices before having their fail and winter costumes made. Style, ill and workmanship upranteed. Old customers essecially histed. Room 28, Syndidate Block. Takes of Invited. Room 28, Syndidate Block. Take of vator to fourth floor.

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Call on J. F. Dowell, 1969 N. Water St.
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FOR SALE-Pitcher pumps, steel and from sinks, wood, chain and from pumps, well platforms, and repair work of pumps done on short order. A. M. Dillow, 359 E. Main street. Old telephone No. 228.

FOR SALE—SOMET fine building lot, east front on North Charch street; can be bought for \$500 if sold this month, on accounted closing partnership husiness. This is a snap; look it op. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 255 North Main street. Nov 15 dfr

TOR SALIS—Nice lot, 40x182 on North Union street, fronts east, \$375 bays It; owner wants money. This lot will be worth \$380 in the spring. Have horse and baggy at office to show you the property. Peter H. Frucck, Real Estate Broker, 25 North Main street. Nov 15-4tf

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I OANS—I have money to place on farms and I city property not over 40 per cent of value at sper cent, on 5 years thue, with privilege of payments after the second year. Also local money for nearly all classes of loans. Call or address Samuel McBride, 215 North Main street, deci7 domo

M ONEY TO LOAN—Un reat estate, farm a-m. Chinery, five stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman, 149 S. Water St. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. First atairway north of Brunswick botel. feb13-dtf

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts Louns made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 115 North Water stroet, over E. D. Bartholor ew S. Queensware house, Decatur, Ill. 111/16-18.wif

#### LOANS PEGRAM & CO., Room One, over Citizen's Nat. Bank

#### LOST. FOUND, ETC.

FOUND—The best place to the city for high grand, pictures is at ABRAMS' gallery, over Peditecord, Burrows & Co's bank. For the best ansatotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

\$200 MONTHLY GUARANTEED. Magazity in Decaturing concern wants represent active in Decatur (or any city not taken.) Must have few hundred dollars cash to pay for goods on delivery after orders are secured. F. E. VAII., Merse Building. New York.

HOLMAN & SMITH. Real Estate. City and farm property sold and rented. All tousiness intrusted to us will receive prompt attention. Room 505 Areade. Jan's dimo

PENSIONERS, ATTENTION! Will be in my office, Opera House Black, January 4, 1896, from early morning until late in the evening, and pensioners are requested to bring pension certificates so that vonchers may be properly executed. M. SHEA, Pension Attorney. 31-40° REMOVAL.—Miss Mary Nesbitt, Inform her patrons and friends that she has removed to 223 North Main street, with Miss E. Wildams, where she is better than ever prepared to wait on her trade.

PUMPS, PUMPS, PUMPS, GEO, M. WOOD; 135 South Water st.

THE "bollar Special" cabinet photo is still being made, \$1.00 per dozen. Proofs shown Accuracy and permanence guaranteed. Dark days no hindrance in getting good negatives. East End Gallery, 1070 E. Eldorado St.

Dec. 30 d&w tf

X MAS GOODS—Holly wreaths, mistletoe, evergreen roping, paint leaves, southern smilax; also roses and carnations of all kinds, byschiths, illies of the valley, violets, chrysanthemams and poinsettas and blooming plants. Old blone No. 200. Spring ave. N. Bommersbach, foorst.

SEE DILTS-If you are wanting a two, three or four inch tubular well, or your old wells make deeper. Well work of all kinds and sizes, from two inches to three feet. 723 N. Water or 1712 E. Prairie street. CHRISTMAS TREES. You can get them any Size to suit by addressing W. H. Thoher, Docaturn arsery. He will deliver trees at the proper hour and place, strictly obeying orders.

Deci8-dt for 5-gallon keg New Sorghum.

NOW is the time to place your orders for wire flower stands. We have them in great variety of styles and prices. They are not expressed and just the thing. Faust & Howe, 318 North Water.

Water.

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MIDWAY HEIGHUS—Call at Room 504 Archive and see Messrs O'Brien & Larkin about Texas lands. Greatest investment of the age. Lots in Midway Heights, model town of the state. Don't miss this chance. octis-dtl HAIR WORK.—Laddes' hair dressing and trimming in all styles of the art neatly done by Miss from Bunch for Mrs. Archie Ward, 119 North Main street. Northwest corner Old Square. A styles of hair work neatly done. Oct 31-dif for a can Hiland Vap. Cream.

A LL YOU CAN EAT.—Do you know that Ed.

A Day at his restaurant, 627 North Water street, gives the best meal in the city. Good ledging for the transient wayfarer. Call and try decoding bill of fare.

10c

tov. Geo. F. Hall, preaches at the Christian Tahernacle every Sunday at 10:45 and 7:30.
Sanday School at 9:30. The public cordially invited. 1,400 good scars, all free.
Large Chorus-Choir, and song books for
everybody. Picture Sermons and Sacred Sunday Evening Concerts free
quently. "Christ Our Only Guido."

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#### Administrator's Notice. Estate of Conrad C. Pinneil, Deceased.

Estate of Courad C. Plonell. Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed adminstrator of the estate of Courad C. Planell, late of the county of Macon and state of Lilhads, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court rouse in Pecatur, at the March term, on the trst Monday in March next, at which time it persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted, heresons indebted to said estate are requested an make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3d day of Junuary, 1895.

W. B. HERSCHIERGER,

Jan 3-d3w

To California in Through Torrist Siespers, via Wahash R. R.—These sleepers leave Dearborn Station, Chicago, every Wednesday at 11:30 a m., via Wahash and thence via St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern, Texas & Pacific, and Southern Leadille railways, running through to Los Angeles and San Francisco without change. First-class sleeper leaves Chicago daily on same train for City of Mexico with one change at Laredo. This sleeper lands you in flot Springs the next day at 12:45 p. m., four hours and torty minutes ahead of any other line. No snow or fee via this great Southern Route. This is the only line from Chicago that can offer this excellent service. Call or write to any agent of the Wahash or connecting lines for printed matter showing time, route, rates, descriptions of cars,

## The PALACE

MERRY CHRISTMAS! Well, we should say so! Delighted crowds thronged our store Monday and Tuesday from early morning till late at night, notwithstanding the false and malicious reports circulated by crippled competitors. They might as well try to turn back the waters of Niagara Falls as to stop the people from coming to the Golden Rule.

There is every reason why we are thankful for the liberal patronage from our many customers. In our old store the people gave us their confidence and trade, and in our mammoth three-story brick building they have enlarged our trade and have made the business of this year simply beyond anything that we figured on or expected. In thus showing their appreciation of our enterprise the people not only profit us but they profit the city. By making our store successful they convince the outer world that Decatur has blossomed out into a city not only great in the minds of an enthusiastic people, out great in fact and worthy of all the good things that may be said of her. As part of this greatness we are thankful.

Hoping we may have your good wishes for the coming year, we wish you all a happy New Year.

### A Few Prices That Will Save You Dollars.

30c per Bushel.| Five cars northern potatoes, Rose, Burbank, White Star and Beauty Rebrus. All go next week at 30c per bushel.

75c

for 5-pound bucket Cottoline 90c for 50 pounds best Minnesota flour. for 10 pound bucket Cottoline

for 50 pounds of good Baking Flour. per can for good Corn. 25c 8c for 8 pounds hand-picked Navy Beans. 25c 20c

or 6 pounds of New Lima or Butter per dozen for fresh Eggs.

10c 25c per quart for Sound Crapberries for 6 pounds of Three Crown Raisens 15c 25c per dozen for good Lemons for 3 packages of New Rolled Oats

10c 25c per packago Preston's California Break for 8 bars Lenox Soap. 10c 15c

per package Preston's Pancako Elour per pound for White Clover Honey. 25c 60c for 2-gallon bucket White Drip Syrup. for 5-pound best Cleaned Currents.

**25**c \$1.75 for 2 cans of best Peas. for 5-gallon keg New Sorghum. 25c

1c 20c per gallon new Sauerkraut. 25c 16c

> for 4 nackages New Mince Meat 25c for 2 pounds of home-made Mirce Meat.

for 2 cans of good Peas.

80c

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25c for 3 pounds of good Mince Meat, such as others sell for 12½ per pour 1 **2**0c

der pound for good Country Batter 15c per pound for German Egg Vermicella. per pound for best Butterine 10c

> per package shell Popcorn. 10c per pound new mixed Nuts.

10c 15c per package for Cox's Jeletine

25c

per bushel for large Red Onions. for 3 pounds of pure Lard It is the duty of every housekeeper to get full value for every cent spent for eccessives of life. The Palace is the place to get best values. A trial will convince you—

Best Dyster Crackers, box or barrel, 31/2c Best Butter Cracker, box or b Best Soda Cracker, box or barrel...314e Once tried no others used.

10c

10c

35c

5c

50c

40c

for 15-pound bucket all kinds of Jelly.

for all sizes of Lamp Flues.

for 2-pound package Buckwheat.

You can't miss this sale 200 boxes Order by telephone, we guarantee all crackers to please or no sale.

Bakery goods only delivered with

### Cloak Dept. Slaughter Sale!

We do not want to invoice what cloaks we have left and herefore we will just cut the life out of the price. They must be sold at some price. We will sell

Any \$5, \$6 and \$7 Ladies' Jacket in the House

## For \$3.00!

and everything else in proportion.

Every Blanket and Comfort must be sold at some price as we have entirely too many.

Our Great SLAUGHTER SHOE and DRY GOODS SALE will commence on and we can becure patent to less time than those move from Washington, with description. We advice, if patentable or not, free of harge. Our fee not due till patent by secured.

A PAMPHILET, "How to Obtain Patents," with ost of same in the U. S, and foreign countries.

### A. F. GEBHART & SON,

OPP. PATTET OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C. | Telephone 113. - . 1101--1107 North Water Street.



THE DRUGGIST,

cents per week, payable invariably in advance WANTED.

WANTED Everyone to try our Blue Label bread, sold by all grovery stores. Three loaves for 10 cents, six loaves for 20 cents, cight loaves for 25 cents. Decatur Cracker Co. Dec. 30 d2w

WANTED-The chilzens of Decatur and vicinity to call at 22 North Main St. for the reliable New Home and Standard sewing machines. Repair work promptly and satisfactority done. G. W. Davidson. Decased: WANTED—ROOmen to take advantage of the slaughter sale of clothing at Charles R Morgan's, 11s Merchant street. 2f cent discount on all softs, parts and overconts. Nate commences December 9, and lasts 30 day. Every thing marked in plain figures.

WANTED- An agent in every section to can-vass; 44.00 to \$6.00 a day made, sells at sight; also a man to-sell Staple Goods to dealers, best side line \$75.00 a month. Salary or large

BARGAINS IN CITY PROPERTY.—50 feet, corner tot, 5-room house on North Water treet—\$2.500. Sufect corner lot, 7-room house on N. Water,

improved.

Will build you a house to order on payments.
S. A.D. GRAY and M. A. BIERWHITH, 137
South Water street.

Dec 2-dif

O. ROSEN, Architect and suider. Off ce long, North Main street.

C.A.SNOW&CO.

### **DUN'STRADE REYIEW**

Number and Extent of Failures for the Year Just Closed,

AS COMPARED WITH THOSE OF 1894.

Frantic Speculation in the Produce Markets, Which Checked Exports, Resulted in a Low Range of Prices burg. -More Favorable Outlook.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.-R. G. Dun & Co. say in their weekly review of trade, is-

complete year 1895 number 13,197, against 13,885 in 1894; but the aggregate of liabilities is slightly greaters \$173,196,600, against \$172,992,000. The bright promise offered by a large decrease in the first quarter was followed by a small increase in the second and third quarters and a large increase in the last quarter of the year. In that quarter, also, the deferred liabilities of each firm in business the county. increased, and also the proportion of deferred liabilinies to payments through the clearinghouses. The effects of unreasonable speculation in materials creating an advance in prices of goods, heavy pur-chases ahead of distribution and enormous increase in production clearly appear in the returns

Produce markets have been the tacater of surprising changes which have influenced all business. The acreage in cotton was wisely restricted in order to give producers a better chance for fair returns, and the crop was further reduced to some extent by injury. but growers were injured still more by frantic speculation, which checked exports, and by false information and

Wheat producers suffered in like manner from wild speculation which prevented the exporting of many million bushels and false reports which encouraged farmers to keep back their grain until the cereal had been taken off the market by speculators. The inevitable consequence has been a very low range of prices, the yield being clearly in excess of all demands. The greaterop of eorn has materially

affected the price of meats

The course of industries during 1895 has been materially affected by speculation in materials. Midsummer witnessed a tremendous advance with a rush to buy far exceeding the ordinary demand for consumption. Prices rose beyond all reason, exciting still more the anxiety to buy beyond actual needs. Thousands of producers strangely mistook the extraordinary buying for a vast increase in conopened milly and extended plants, opened milly increased forces, and rushed production in many lines far beyond actual consumption. Inevitably both traders and manufacturers were left, toward the close, with considerable stocks unsold and claims against customers who were themselves tied up by purchases beyond their distributing power. Hence the general shrinkage in prices for the past three months, and though in scarcely any department did prices rise higher than in former years, they were found out of relation to existing demand.

Railroad earnings show a decided improvement over last year, 5 ft per cent. for the year and 6 9 per cent. for December, though 4.6 per cent smaller

The rapid outflow of gold with high rates of interest, caused anxiety, which was checked by the decision to issue clearinghouse certificates at New York, Boston and Philadelphia, and by prompt attention to financial questions in congress; but at the close another issue of bonds is expected. Offers already exceed the amount of the

The recent decrease in imports of merchandise and some increase in exports warrant hope that trade balances whe more favorable hereafter, but share in the expected profits on bonds. Rarely has there been a situation so complicated, and the near future is difficult to forecast, but it is the widelyprevalent impression that a large sale of bonds will speedily revive confidence and activity.

#### COMMENDABLE,

But Not Essential to the Success of the Mission of the Red Oross.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4 .- Miss Clara Barton. president of the Red Cross society, and George H. Pullman, its general secretary, who are the guests of Mrs S. E. Gross, in this city, expressed considerable satisfaction when shown last erable satisfaction when shown last evening, a copy of the UnitedFress dispatch from Washington to the effect that the porte would permit the distribution of relief to the Armenians by Americans, Mr. Pallman said. however, that while the action of the porte was commendable, yet no obstacles could have been sisced in the the away of Red Cross relief in the stricken district, inasmach as Turkev had been a member of the Philanthro pic confederation since 1865, or long before the American branch became identified with the international so-

#### CHICAGO LUKEWARM

On the Subject of Securing the Democratic Astional Convention.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Cash subscriptions to the desired \$50,000 fund which is expected to prove a catching bait for the Democratic national convention are not being received as fast as hoped for by the finance committee in charge of the work. A few of the subscription agents have received small responses, business men declining to open their purses because the convention would not benefit them directly and Chicago does not need it.

#### TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-The president yesterday recog-nized M. M. Gest as consul of Nicaragua at Cincinnati. -It is rumored that the united ac

tion of France and Germany in the Transvaal is projected. -A strange feature of the financial Albatross' Head. situation is the importation and the exportation of gold at the same time. The Paris press is jubilant over

-The treasury records show that the entire issue of United States notes, \$316,681,616, has been redeemed since 1879 and reissued.

falo, N. Y., have shut down, throwing about 600 workmen out of employment. -W. H. Thomas is under arrest at Quincy, Ill , for bigamy. He is a newspaper man, having been connected with many of the leading journals of

-The Dominion government has already decided up in a line of action regarding the strengthening of Canadian defenses and the better arming of the militia force. -Eric train No. 5, a vestibuled ex-

press, ran into a freight engine in the outskirts of Meadville, Pa., wrecking ooth engines. An open switch caused the arcident. -The trial of the Kellar family for

llie mysterious murder of Clara Shanks has been set for January 20 at Terre Haute, Ind., on a change of venue from Parke county. -The coinage executed at the mints of the United States during December,

1895, was as follows. Gold. \$8,997.145; alver, 575,50%; minor coins, \$107,386. Total, \$5,380,574. -The Anchor Line steamer Italia, from Mediterranean ports which was due at New York December 31, had

not yesterday been sighted. She carics 267 immigrants. -Exercises in honor of Emancipa-tion day were held Thursday by colored people all over north Texas, who insist that January 2 and not June 19

is the proper day to observe. -John B. Blair, born in 1800, and who was at one time a famous and wealthy painter, died at the Chicago Home for Incurables. His portrait of President Taylor is hung in the White House gailery.

-A cable dispatch is reported to have been received by a commercial firm in London that Dr. Jamieson will be tried by a Boer court-martial, and his followers, who are now prisoners, will be released.

- Mrs. Mary Breeder, of St. Louis. aged 51 years, went to the well yester-day morning to draw a bucket of water, when her feet slipped and she plunged head-first into the well. She was taken out dead. -the the house yesterday Mr. Boat-

ner (dem., La.) offered a resolution looking to the impeachment of Comptroller of the Treasury Bowler for refusing to execute the laws of congress n paying the sugar bounty. -Quincy Rentro, an old and well-

known colored man, fell while hunting near Metropolis, Ill., Thursday afternoon, and discharged the contents of both barrels of a shotgun into his read, killing himself almost instantly.

As relatives were viewing the remains of Mrs. Andrew Merry, buried at Greenville, Ill., Thursday, her mother, Mrs. Daniel Nevinger, just after gazing into the coffin for the last time, stepped back and sank down into

curities which foreign holders are light to the foreign holders are light to the foreign holders are burg, was blown 100 feet or more and | Yet it isn't any more an albatross than selling to some extent in order to instantly killed. Tom Wade and a it is a sea eagle. The bird is probably man by the name of Ulrich, both of Indianapolis, were seriously injured. -Eight loaded freight cars broke

away from an engine in the Pennsylvania railroad yards in Pittsburgh, Thursday night and dashed down the house causing damage estimated at

-Sir William Whiteway, premier of Newfoundland, has arrived at Ottawa. Out. He says his visit has no political significance. He is as warm a confederate as ever, but thinks that Canada should give somewhat better terms to Newfoundland than was offered last year.

-Another strike of motormen and conductors was inaugurated in Phila. don't know nothin' on'y what they read. delphia yesterday. Many of the union But The saw things, I have. And I seen men who opposed the strike refused something fur years that I bet ain't in go out, and cars were run on the main their books. It was when I was with lines with noticeable regularity. In the afternoon large numbers of the strikers returned to work.

males and 21 females, and 856 males with fish till they was so full they There were 21 deaths, all males. There around till it wore off. Now, this feed are now 2,196 convicts in the prison, which is an increase over a corresponding period of a year age of 18.

s of the building fell, and added to the damage done by the writer. The company's loss is estimated at \$5.000.

Female Operatives Go on Strike.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 4.—A hundred female operatives of S. K. Wilson's woolen mill went on strike yesterday for an increase of pay for certain kinds of work.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The virtue of an execution to me directed and relivered by the clerk of the circultrount of the way. In favor of John Schuder and their stomachs, up would come the first their stomachs them cleved and arinst Jenne Philips. I have levied and arins 1210 North Main street, St. Louis.

#### REMARKABLE SEA BIRD.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS ]

"Oh, I am so nervous! No one ever suffered as I do! There isn't a well inch

regist in the lower part of my bowels, bearing down all the time; and there are pains in my groins and thighs. I can't sleep, walk, or sit. I'm diseased all over. The doctor? Oh! he tells me to keep quiet. Such mockery!

Inflammatory and ulcerative conditions

Ludia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-

nund acts promptly and thoroughly in such cases; strengthens the muscles of the womb, heals all inflammation, and

restores that unruly organ to its normal condition. Druggists are selling carloads of it. Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass,

will gladly and freely answer all letters

CHANCERY NOTICE TATE OF ILLINOIS. S8
MACON COUNTY. S8
In the Circuit Court, January Term, 1896.

MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court, January Term, 1896.
Charles Wehner vs. Kw/lah Wehner—Chancery.
Afhdavit of the nonresidence of Keziah Wehner, defendant above named, having been fitted in the office of the clerk of the said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Kezlah Wehner that the complainant fitted his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the said day of November, 1895, and that thereupon a summons Issued out of said court gainst said defendant. Keziah Wehner, returnable on the 18th day of January 1885, as is by law required.

Now unless you, the said Keziah Wehner, shall personally he and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the 18th day of "annary, 1895, and plead, answer of demur to the said conjultimats bill of complaint, the same and teh in directs and thougs therein charged and a dereo entered against you according to the pracer of said bill.

E. Methelet, A. S. Clerk, dire 2-day

Special Tax Notice.

office. "That a warrant for the collection of such special tixes is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the collector's office, heing the city deck's office at the court house, in said city, within thirty days from the data better.

Dated, this 10th day of December, A. D. 1896, dec11-d30d F. L. HAYS, City Clerk.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of John Murphy, Deceased.

Estate of John Murphy, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of John Murphy, deceased, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county count of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the February term, on the first Monday in February term, on the first Monday in February text, at which time all persons having calms against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate may ment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1895.

Dec 1s day

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of James Burley, deceased.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Dec 1s daw

"Complete

How to Attain It."

Medical Book, written

ERIE MEDICAL CO.

Wooderful New

is positively no need of it.

asking for advice.

in my whole body! I honestly think my lungs

are diseased, my chest pains me so; but I've no

I'm so

weak at my stomach, and have in-

digestion horribly.

Then I have palpita-

tion, and my heart hurts me. How

1 am losing

headache near-

ly kills me ; and

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yesterday. There is a

flesh! and this

Caught by a Sallor After a Bloody Encounter.

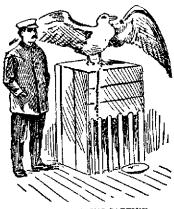
His Captor Calls It an Eagle, Though ntists Pronounce It a Frenk-It Hus an Eagle's Talons and an

When the Danish steamship Horsa cleared Philadelphia for Port Antonio, the defeat of Dr. Jamieson and his Lamaica, a few days ago, she carried followers by the Boers near Johanness with her a deadhead passenger with a very bad temper. The surly fellow occupied a small cabin of rough boards especially built for him on the foreeastle, in which he was secured with a short chain fastened around one leg. On the roof a sailor had rudely carved out with his caseknife this inscription: Sea Fagle Came Abord off Watling Is-lard, Sept. 25, 1895. Caut esy by Jo Peters, A.S.

Jo Peters, able scaman, has two long scars on his left arm and a small one in his neck to show how easy was the capture of the bird. Another sailor received a damaged thumb through a breach of etiquette. While giving the captive fresh water one day, he uncomsciously allowed his thumb to stick over the edge of the dish into the water. The swiftly resented this slovenly service with his beak. There are others among the crew who will have reason to remember the bird and the date of his forming among them.

On September 25 the Horsa was off Wattling's Island, Bahamas, on her way to Philadelphia with a cargo of fruit rom Baracoa. Early in the afternoon, in the midst of a sudden stiff breeze off shore, a flying thing, with wings of enormous spread, biew up egainst the masthead and clung there. The sailors on deck looked aloft and held a brief council. Capt. Wiborg came out of his cabin and called for volunteers to capture the bird. Jo Peters stepped forward promptly, and as promptly went The others stood below and

When the adventurous sailor reached a point a few feet below the bird, the latter turned his head and looked at Peters curiously, but made no attempt to fly. This encouraged Peters, and climbing a little nearer he reached out his left arm and grabbed the bird by



PETERS AND HIS CAPTIVE.

ne leg. Then there was a wild screech, a flurry of feathers, a few startled naths and several drops of blood spattered down on the upturned faces of those on deck. Peters made a swift onss with his right hand for the bird's throat, but the bird forestalled him, jabbing his beak into the man's neck. Peters was mad with pain, and he shut his teeth and tried again. This time he got there. He would have fallen from his perch, however, but for the arrive! of another member of the erew, who with a coil of stout rope in his teeth had climbed up to the rescue. The captive was securely bound and was then lowered to the deck.

a chair, dead.

—The Scotch Black Watch regiment, which is now at Mafeking, in Bechnandland, will stop the advance of the British South Atrica Co.'s men from Baluwayo, and if they insist upon advancing they will be fired upon by the British troops.

—A boiler exploded at the sawmill of Chance & Kruse at Manchester, Ind., yesterday. Cotton Cross, of Lawrence—burg, was blown 100 feet or more and large and the content of the control of the control of the content of the content of the content of the content of the control of the cortion of the cortic based of the here van below to bave his wounded arm and neck dressed. He assured the country of the cortion of cortion, that the present search of the cortic based of the here van below to bave his wounded arm and neck dressed. He assured the country of the cortion of cortion, the cortion of the cortion of the cortic had competing with the present search of the cortic had a lievy to the north line of lacker of the corticle copy of the judgment on file in my other country of the country of the country of Macon country. Hunds, has receive judgment for special tax NOHCE.

Public notice is nearby given that the country of Macon country. Hunds, has receive judgment for special tax nonces in the country of the a cross between the two. It has the albatross' head and beak, and its broad expanse of wing, measuring six fort from tip to tip, but its legs, which are rough and soaly, terminate with the talous of the eagle. As to coloring, grade at Thirteenth street, solliding it is white, with a sprinkling of irregulation with the north wall of the round-lar black spots like ink blots. Several ornithologists went and looked at the hird while the Horsa lay at her dock here, but though they consulted their books they could not classify the thung except generically as a freak. These scientific men made Jo Peters very

"What do they know about it?" said he. "The bird's a sea cagle, I tell you, and I've saw more sea birds than they is pages in all them fellers' books. They the West Const navigation line. Down stampia" ground for sea birds, because -There were received at the Mis- fish was always plentiful there. The souri penitentiary during last year 905 birds would set on the waves and fill up and 31 females were discharged couldn't move, and would have to float in' place was right in the way of the steamers, and thousands of the birds was run down through not bein' able A large water tank on top of the togetaway. But the old birds got cute Beck & Corbitt Iron Co.'s building, and when they was settin' there full of

### TASTEFUL DESIGNS A PEN PICTURE. Many Women Will Recognize It.



Mark all our Clothing, whether cheap or expensive.

at the neck of the womb can produce all the above symptoms in the same person. In fact, there is hardly a part of the body It is all artistically cut and well made, the principal difference in price being due to the materials and that can escape those sympathetic pains No woman should allow herself to reach such a perfection of misery when there

For instance, we are selling a

### SUIT AT \$12.00. asking for autice. Mrs. E. Bishop, 787 Halsey Street, Brooklyn, V.Y., suffered all the above described horrors. Now she is well, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Comound cured her. Write her about it.

We can sell you the same style and cut of course in a cheaper cloth for



## CHEAP CHARLEY,

The Reliable Clothier.

## Black Diamonds.

Gent's \$5.00 Patent Leather Shoes-

> Of the Following Makes:—

JOHNSTON & MURPHEY, Estate of James Burley, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed executors of the extate of James Burley, late of the county of Macon and state of fillings, deceased, hereby give, notice that they will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decalur, at the March term on the first Monday in March next, at which time nulpersons having theirs addend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted has ment to the understand.

Dated this 27th day of December, 1905.

WILLIAM C. BURLEY,
DEC 27-day Executors. FREEMAN SHOE CO., LILY, BRACKETT & CO.,

\_For \$3.00.

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We have 500 Bargains for every day. You may expect sult of this, many young men are now some good bargains. We are the cheapest store in America. leaving us and helping their country-All week will be bargain week.

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#### SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of James L. Coborne and against Lodemia Chappelow 1 have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots 5 and 6 Chappelow's subdivision of lot at of V. Barber's subdivision of the south part of the southeast quarter of Section 3, Township 16, Range 2 east, 31 P. M., taken as the property of the said Lodemia Chappelow, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Decator in Macon county, in said state, on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1886, at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, for eash in hand to satisfy said execution.

ention.
This 31st day of December, A. D. 1896.
J. P. NICHOLSON,
Dec 31-dtd Sherin Macon County, Illinois.

B. I. STERRETT ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE -- Over Bryan' Clothing Store Decatus

### Administrator's Notice of Final Set-

TATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88

In the matter of the estate of John R. Wona-cott, deceased.

cott, deceased.

To all whom it may consern: You are hereby notified that I, as the administrator of John K Wonacott, deceased, have this day filed in the county court of said county a final report of my acts and doings as such administrator of said estate, and that I will on the 1sth day of Janu ary, 1896, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard by the court, ask said court to approve said report and to release me from further liability in said matter and ask for a final discharge as such administrator, at which time and piace you can be present and take such action as you may deem best.

Decatur, Ill., December 27, 1896.

Administrator of John K. Wonacott, deceased. Dec 27-d.; w

#### ARMENIANS IN AMERICA.

This Persocuted People Well Represented in Our Own Land.

There Are Over Twelve Thousand Them Dwelling Here-Large Colonies in New York, Massachusetts and Other Places.

In this country the Armenian ques-

ign one. We do not fully appreciate he influence of the great numbers of ere, and who have become to all intents and purposes an integral part of There are about 12,000 Armenians permanently dwelling amongst us at present. They are all Christians, and mostly affiliated with the Greorian division of the church. New York contains probably a tenth part of our Armenian element. Philadelphia has quite a settlement, and there are about 50 Armenian families in California. The nation is fairly well represented in Michgan and in Chicago. It has numerous students of theology and medicine in Canada. Massachusetts, however, has iven the Armenians their warmest The town of Worcester is full of them and they have their own

In appearance these people are dark uggest usually the southern French ype. Many of the Armenians, how-As a nation they enjoy educational adantage of no ordinary sort, and rarely low have established themselves well In New Jersey they have taken up carmenian in New York has an extensive tury."

The capacities of the Armenians, acquite a trade in Turkish goods. As yet, cording to Mr. Krikorian, are as great however, the women of Armenia have as those of any other nationality.

"In this country, as in Armenia," he said, "we all agree that there is no hope for us until Turkish rule is superseded There is really no reason why we should not be prosperous and contented at home, for our country has great natural resources and a small population. As it is we dare not be industrious, and every Armenian of means hides his property. Hence it is impossible to tell who is rich among us. The rate of interest is enormous. Fifty per cent, is nothing out of the way. tion is looked upon as essentially a for-Five hundred years ago we were a nation of 35,000,000. To-day we have dwindled to comparative insignificance. No doubt the outrages now attracting so much attention in this country seem terrible to Americans, but they are nothing new to us."

Mr. Krikorian said that his countrymen have not by any means given up the idea of becoming an independent nation once more. "The Turkish government is well

aware of this," he said. "This is why the possession of patriotic emblems and books and pictures is made a high crime. We are very fond of Armenian trophies and pictures. The most popular publication of this sort is a large lithograph showing the best known of our kings, with a picture of our chief temple. It is death for an Armenian to be found with these pictures in his possession, and the Turkish government is much incensed against Russia for permitting the printing of them. I pendence by any means impracticable. I am sure we would have the sympathics of enlightened nations in all efforts to reestablish our national exist ence. At any rate, we Armenians are greatly impressed by the idea, and we business in our large cities. Ar- chief patriotic society over here has regions are engaged in the manufac- | done much to spread a national feeling are of electrotypes in New York, and Levon, the last of our native kings, is they have done well as photo-engravers. entombed in Paris. The kingdom of Armenia was founded 2,000 years before net making with success. A rising Ar- Christ, and endured until the 13th cen-



not come to this country to any great |

There now exists here an association of aiding their distressed mother country. Its headquarters are in New York This organization is more or less secret in its methods, but it has made a standing offer to support any Armenian Fully a thousand young men, as it is, who will return to his native land and are to be equipped and sent back to tight the Turkish oppresso men in Armenia to resist to some pur pose the tyrannies of the sultan's government. Nothing is more surprising than the facility with which Armenians here learn to read and write English; and they have no difficulty in adopting our manners and ideas, a fact which is largely due to their educational ad

Martin Krikorian, of New York, is a

"Any Armenian with money about tribute money among our people and him is at the mercy of the Turks in his relieve their sufferings." to exist. We in Armenia are more carething, I succeeded in making my way leges. more than a waste of time to make any the United States."

extent. The men outnumber the wom- 18 centuries," he said, "and we can turn our hands to anything. In our ing manufactories and schools. There would be a decided movement back to Armenia on our part if civilization had any chances there. 'Armenia for Armenians' has become our watchword are to be equipped and sent back to their native land by our patriotic organization here, and we think they will do good work in developing a native solidity among our countrymen. As things are now, it is a crime to educate an Armenian in Armenia. The Turks carry out a systematic method of keep-

> The Armenians, however, are by no means insensible of the encouragement they have met with over here.

ypical Armenian of Armenian affilia- us towards the United States," di He has been in the United clared Mr. Krikorian. "To begin with, States more than three years now and | thousands of Armenians now have refinderstands the Armenian question in atives and friends over here. Then this dt its phases, being particularly well country has lately begun to have a very equanted with the condition of his sympathetic feeling for us The relie countrymen in this country. His ex- funds raised for Armenia have done periences afford a capital illustration wonders, notwithstanding the hostility of the tribulations endured by Ar- of the Turkish government, which has menians in their efforts to escape the lately excluded the agent of the Christian Herald, who sought only to dis-

own country," he said. "There is The Armenians are endeavoring to practically no such thing as law when support a clergy of their own here in Turks and Armenians come in contact. America. In this they have been suc-When I determined to come to the cessful, and in time New York and United States, my father gave me a the other large cities will have Ar-The possession of menian Christian churches of their that sum made it dangerous for meeven own. Already a fair-sized body of itinerant clergy exists. The Armenians are ful in hiding our property than a crimi- now supporting numerous theological nal here in hiding his crimes. How- students in American seminaries. They ever, after many risks of losing every- also have students at the medical col-

the hands of the government officials, must necessarily be made from withwho, of course, took all my money out. Armenians all over the world are away from me. It would have been prepared to make great sarrifices to carry out the idea, but it is not likely protest. I had a brother in Marseilles to become an accomplished fact for a to whom I wrote for funds, and he sup- long time. Mr. Erikorian has great plied me with the means of reaching hopes of it, and these hopes are shared by the great body of his countrymen Like all his countrymen, Mr. Kriko- here. When one considers how capable rian has no hopes whatever for his and intelligent our Armenian populacountry as long as the sultan has any tion is, its national enthusiasra is

### The Knife Not Needed.

A MASSACHUSETTS TOWN HEARS AND WONDERS.

What a Miracle was There! Twi Limbs and a Crooked Sock Straightened. (From the Taunton, Muss., Ganete.) Over in the town of Wrentham, Mass, extryone is agog with excitement. A child who had been physically deformed for four years, and who was the object of the pity of the entire town, has hed her limbs straightened out, her head again made creet by the entire town now with the freedom and abundon of any child.

Here S. Fuller is the name of the little.

cheri out, her heard again made creek by the straightening of her neck, and is running about town now with the freedom and aboulon of any chill.

Mary S. Fuller is the name of the little eripple. Meny of our readers will remember her. Sho is but a child of 8 year, and has spent the past four years in bed, hopelessly crippled. Rheumatic fever four years ago attacked the nerves and cords of her lower limbs and neck, so that the former were drawn all out of shapeand twisted nod bent backwardwin a pittable manner; and the cords of the latter were so tightened our me side as to draw her head down on her thoulder. Her arms, too, were helpless, and neighbors' hearts bled at the little one's auffering. The progress of the disease reduced her to a skeleton, and the poor mother may almost given her own life for that of the child, in her untiring watching at the little one's bedside. Four years of watching it our years of waiting! and at last the child began to waid, her cords relaxed, her nervous system gathered strength and power, and to day, as stated above, she is running about the town a vigorous and huppy child. Wrentham rejoiges, physicians appland, and new methods he here treatments have been successfully windicated. Formerly the surgeon would have been called on in this case to straighten the limbs. Now the idea is to work in harmony with nature so far as possible, and to this end remedies are employed which assist mature, supplying to the well-ened parts the chemical properties they need. For instance, in the above case, by. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People were und, and effected the cure easily and naturally. The mother of the child said: "She had been given up by four doctors, who were certain that they could not enrelier. Why, she couldn't open her mouth, and inclusily had to force the food into it. Her mouth was all sores, and on the mouth, and a care! Nobody but investifications what a briad we had in an all the elements necessary to give new life and richm as to the bolon and restore shattered nerves.



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#### ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

### CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor.

South Side Lincoln Square, Decatur, Ill.



## Nearly every one in Medina Co., Ohio, knows Stephen Roiph, of River Styx, the one-legged veteran, who lost his leg at Winchester, Va., March 28rd, 62. In all probability the exposure and privations of army service, the effects of which are felt as they grow older by nearly all old soldiers, were the cause of the serious nervous prostration and sleeplessness of which Comrade Rolph campiained. Ho

▲ Battle Scarred Veteran

"People hereabouts know me pretty well, but you can tell others that I was down for about six months with nervous prostration and sleeplessness for which I tried various doctors and medicines, but Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer has done me more good than all the doctor-ing I had done. The first buttle gave me such great relief that I have used

soveral and feel almost restored to my former good health."

Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer can be relied upon by any who are suffering from nervous troubles, sleeplessness, etc. If all tired out and run tlown, you need a reliable nerve and system tonic and health restorer as this remedy is. Sold in Decatur by J. W. Elchinger. Druggist, cor. Main and Water st.

DURING our Civil War the Union Ord-nance Department served out 7892 can nons, 4,022,000 rifles and 12,207 tons of

#### Bucklen's Armica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts Bruses, Sores, Vicers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By

The new German rifle ranges up to 4000 yards, and at 900 yards the bullet will pierce ten inches of solid pine tim-

Is suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that De Witt's Witch. He zei Salve will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions (which are simple) are carried out, a cure will re-sult. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails West's drug store. The most expensive army in the world

is that of Gormany, which costs from \$86,000,000 to \$105,000,000 a year. No sycres for sleepless nights when you can procure One Minute Cough Cure. This will relieve all annoyances,

cure the most severe cough and give you rest and health. Can you afford to do without it? West's drugstore. Duning the war the Union troops uptured 473,169 Confederates and the

On July 1, 1895, there were 261,000 men serving in the navies of the world.

#### EXECUTRIX' NOTICE.

Istate of John Ray, occassed.

The undersigned having breen appointed executivy of the estate of John Ray, into of the county of Macon, and State of Hilmois deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the March term, on the first Monday in March next at which time nil persons having chains spainst said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indiched to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the understaned.

Dated this 2d day of January 1886, SARAH MEDFORD, Executrix, Jan 2-daw.

Estate of Ell aboth Hirst, Deceased.

It is undersigned baving been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Hirst, ale of the country of Mucon and state of Hilnoh, leeve ed, hereby gives noder that he will appear softer the country court of Mucon country, at the Murch term, on the first Monday in Merch next, it which line all persons having claims against addeduced to all engineering adjusted to attend or the purpose of having the same adjusted. All servois indebted to said estate are requested to make humefalte payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3d day of January, 1896.

January

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the assignment of Nathaniel T. Watson. Notice hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of the extate of Nathaniel T. Watson, and all persons holding any cann or claims against the said Nathaniel T. Watson are hereby notified to present the same to me under oath or affirmation within three months from this date, whether such eladus are due or not. All persons indebted to such assignor are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1806.

CHARLES S. HANKINS, Assignee Nov. 20-diw

## Wabash Jir.

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville.

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ing us ignorant, and for years they have tried to stamp out Christianity

"There is a very warm feeling among

to Alexandria, Turkey. Here I fell into | The efforts to achieve independence

#### PROFESSIONAL CARDS. TEETH WITHOUT PLATES.

## surpassed. 12, 2 to 4, and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday ovenings, 7 to 8 o'clock. Feb 28-d

GEO. P. HARDY,

S. J. Bumstead, M. P. Diseases of Eye and Ear, Nose and Throat.

### HERMAN SPIES.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED,

Confederates captured 212,601 Union

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Elirabeth Hirst, Deceased.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

R. R. TIME TABLES.

Illinois Central.

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# AUCTION SALE!

Over 200 Dinner Sets in Haviland, Vienna, and French Chinas will be sold at your own price. We are selling from six to ten sets a day. We are obliged to convert these goods ley's into money at some price. If you whittey's. expect to buy a dinner set in the next ten years, it will pay you to get it now.

We put up for sale at auction any= thing in our stock==-Diamonds, by Johnny Welgand, are the best in mar95 dtf Watches, Lamps, Onyx Tables, decorations in the Grand opera house Hanging Lamps, Rings, Jewelry, Etc., Etc., until we get the \$25,000 we started for.

We expect to lose money, perhaps five or six guaranteed. West's drug store, thousand dollars, but that loss is already "mourned for." Somebody is going to get every dinner set we have on hand.

## Otto E. Curtis & Bro.,

156 East Main St.---113 North Water St.



## Special Sale This Week

FINE WATER COLORS. FINE ETCHINGS, FINE PHOTOGRAPHS.

Too large stock-want to unload. Any one wanting a fine Picture, now is the time to buy. Come and see our prices this week.

### J. Edward Saxton's Book Store.

Opposite Citizens' National Bank.

#### HARRY SNARR.

142 Merchant Street, is Headquarters for

Christmas Candies

of all kinds, and at from 5c to 75c lb.

MIXED NUTS, 10c POUND, Special prices on Candies for teach-

ers. Sunday schools and churches.

Bicycle and Gun Shop.. All kinds of Guns, Locks, Revolvers

and Bicycles repaired in short order. All work guaranteed; terms reasonable

We also handle all kinds of Ammunition and Loaded Shells No. 110-112 West Prairie St.

### Daily Republican CHICAGO MAN IN TROUBLE.

#### STOP THAT

cough, by using our Cough Syrup. Very pleasant to take, cures the cold and stops the cough. Large bottle for 25c.

King & Metz, Druggists.

**SATURDAY, JAN. 4, 1896.** 

LOCAL NEWS.

SKATING IS DOSS.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. BOTTLE and bulk perfumes at Whit-

CIGARS at \$1.00 per box and up

"Friends"Oats" promote health and ongevity. Nothing equal to it. IRWIN'S Iron Tonic Bitters cures indi-

gestion and nervous exhaustion.

The Grand Opera House eigars, made account.

WM BLANK has nearly finished the WHAE'S the matter with you? Con-

stipated? Cascarets will cure. them like candy. Inwin's Toilet Cream is an excellent

reparation for chaped hards. USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR

RUBBER hot water bottles, cut prices is you have a cough use Irwin's Rock

No substitute or cheap drug used as friends in this city. prescriptions at Whitley's

Family syringes, of all kinds, cut prices. West's drug store. You will be delighted if you smoke

42 and 43. Fenton block.

win's drug store. Mama eats a Cascaret, baby gets the

benefit. Cascarets make mother's milk mildly purgative. USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

MEARLY all of the young people who | the gospel meetings. have been home for the holidays will return to the colleges and seminaries next

Fletcher took place this forenoon at 11 with the Hotel Wellington. He has a M. D. Alexander, Fred Wilson, Isaac

Princes of the Orient. It is probable A. Wheeler was colonel of the regiment. that there will be a killing next Wednes-

predicted, except through Michigan.

The reception for the members of however, explained the scare by stating Prof. Leonard's Juvenile dancing class that he had placed a pan with some turuary, April, July and October the voucher and William remained in Chicago, picking up a liveling at Guards' Amory to-night promises to pentine in it on the stove and, strange ers and certificates of pensioners must be a very anjoyable over the could. A year ago

compared with the corresponding week to-day. in 1894; for the month of December,

\$1,070,155, an increase of \$52,474.16. USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR

day by the sheriff on a claim of the Mer-The total indebtedness is \$113,000; ley's. assets, £339,000; stock valuation \$175,000; ssets and bills receivable \$194,000.

THURSDAY night Misses Ardie Wood and Edna Childs entertained a party of Railroad Company burned here at 6:30 is \$2,550 less than the appropriation. Johnson & Kupert, friends at the home of Miss Wood on c'clock this evening. No. 1109, Illinois West Wood street. Progressive croki. Central engine, that pulls the Diamond nole and "go bang" were the games. Refreshments were served and the guests engaged in taffy pulling. Will Coonradt furnished special music on the piano during the progress of the games.

USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR.

Night School

At the Business College opens Monday evening, the 6th. All the commercial branches thoroughly taught by competent teachers. Reduced rates of tuition Hammer fined David Eckler \$100 for

Board Bill.

This afternoon Constable Midkiff took offered to make a payment of \$20 on account, but Mr. Laux refused to accept part payment. He had become weary of waiting any longer. Mr. Chaffee has telegraphed the Chicago firm the facts in the case and is waiting to have the each wired to him so that he can be released from the custody of the

It appears from the statements made strike. by Chaffee that his firm has not been prompt in the settlement of the obligation incurred by him in their interest, and he is at a loss to know why he is treated in such a manner. Mr. Chaffee at 2:40 o'clock was still waiting at Justice Hardy's office to hear from the Chi-

This forenoon after Mr, Laux refused THERE is a case of diphtheria at the to take the \$20. Chaffee went into the home of John Wilson, 418 East Prairie St. Nick saloon and paid Mr. Andrews the money. It was what be owed on his USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR bar bill, and it had gone into the hotel

#### THE TAYLOR AFFAIR.

Gossip Still Gloating Over the Homicide at Weldon.

CLINTON, ILL., Jan. 3. - The Taylor topic here, but aside from testifying en masse as to new threats relating to the terrible affair there are no new developments. Dr. Taylor, of York Center, Ind , the dead man's brother, is here yet and was in Clinton all day to-day. It is now thought the Taylors of Weldon will move to Cliston and make this city their home. The doctor had a host of

#### Conference Closed.

The W. C. T. U. workers' conference held at Grace M. E. church closed last counter, each sang a pretty little song or mother is taken away the brothers evening with additional remarks by Miss and claimed the dolls. They got them, and sisters have to be separated to find either the Little Rose or Bouquet cigars. Mary Downey, the state superintendent, The merchant has since changed the homes for themselves, and this is sad USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR who made an appeal to christian women form of his advertisement. DR. L. E. COONRADT, Dentist, rooms to unite with the union in its work for aug 24-dtf the good of humanity. Miss Downey Language stock and best assortment of stated that during the past year in the family syringes at lowest prices at Ir- state there have been 3,876 gospel temperance meetings, 603 special evangelisance women, 508 cottage prayer meetinge, 8,511 christian visits made, 2,367 signatures to the pledge secured, and 1,248 persons definitely seeking Christ in S. T. Nesbitt, Geo. S. Connard.

#### Orendorff Out.

Adjutant General Orendorff, of the H. Miller, A. A. Smith, K. H. Roby, B. Illinois National Guard, tendered his O. McReynolds, Hiram Ward. To NIGHT Misses Ada Johnson and resignation Nov. 29. Yesterday Gov. Edna Childs will entertain a party of Altgeld accepted the resignation, and bond, \$21,53342. Sureties, Geo. Lewis, friends at the home of Miss Childs on named Major C. C. Hilton, of Chicago, J. P. Corn, Parker Major. as his successor. General Hilton is a Macon-W. V. Kitch, collector; bond, The funeral of the late Mrs. Martha Chicago hotel man, at present connected 626,336.68. Sureties, W. T. Catherwood, o'(lock, Rev Geo. F. Hall officiating unlitary record, having served in the Peeper. The burial was at the Salem graveyard. civil war in an Eastern regiment, and THERE are a number of weary pil having been major of the 2d Infantry, grians waiting to enter the tent of the Illinois National Guard, while Gen. H.

#### A Small Scare.

For the next thirty six hours the to the Walston Sanitarium to day by an The entire fire department was called May and H. C. Wallace. weather is predicted to be clear and alarm of fire. Dr. E. B. Walston in colder generally over the west. No snow stepping to the kitchen found the room stepping to the kitchen found the room this is pension day -January 4—and the family had not corresponded Wil filled with black smoke and turned in clerks and assistants are busy at the ham and Henry did not stay at the na alarm of fire. The colored ianitor, court house making out the vouchers USE HINKLE'S BEST FLOUR an alarm of fire. The colored janitor, court house making out the vouchers

women have been singing the praises of is splended skating on the sloughs near Crows, but they pleaded guilty just the the river. The ice is frozen solid near the landing and skaters can cross with THE earnings for the Wabash for the perfect safety. Skaters say the ice is fourth week in December amounted to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and \$313.618, showing a decrease of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has led many persons to bring their parture, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and has managed to make a liverage of \$3,671.09, the skate dealers are reaping a harvest to the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and the best ever frozen in this vicinity, and the best ever frozen in the best ever fro

Buried Near Mt. Pulaski. Roland Birks died January 1st, at The wholesale drug house of Singer The remains were laid to rest January Wheeler at Peoria was closed yester. 2nd, at Steamberger cemetery, Lake Fork, near Mt. Pulaski. Deceased was chants' National Bank for \$36,161.85 the grandfather of Elmer Birks, the There are other judgments for \$10,000. well-known salesman at Cheap Char-

house belonging to the Illinois Central secured the contract at \$37,450, which Special from here to Chicago, was in the fire and is probably totally ruined.

Dr. Penhallegon will take for his subject to-morrow evening "The Model Preacher." The coming week will be the "week of prayer" and there will be services at the Presbyterian church every evening except Saturday.

### Fined \$100.

In the county court to-day Judge jan3-d6 gaming.

#### THE COLD SNAP.

Arrested for Failure to Pay a The Mercury Was Below Zero Last Night in Decatur.

It was cold enough, thank you, last Frank Chaffee, of Chicago, in custody night in Decatur-2 below zero at an on a state warrant sworn out by Charles early hour this morning, with a cutting Laux, proprietor of the St. Nicholas. wind during the night to nip the ears Chaffee is indebted to the St. and noses of those out late. It was 2 Nick to the amount of \$106.77 above at 7:30 a. m. and 10 above at up to this morning had 1 a. m. In all probability it will failed to liquidate. Chaffee rep. be colder to night and Sunday. The resents a Chicago firm, which failed predictions are for colder weather. If it to honor a draft for the amount of the lingers the ice harvest for dealers will indebtedness. Chaffee this morning be close at hand. The Sangamon river is now frozen over in places.

Chicago- At 11 o'clock last night it was below zero St. Paul-18 below. Prince Albert, N.W. T.-36 below. Duluth-16 below. St. Vincent, Munn. 24 below. Battleford—36 below. Davenport, Iowa—7 below.

County Conventions as Possible.

tions of as many countres as he can get. In case the state convention does not the restraints they bind you with are instruct, Mr. Mason will not be the for your own good and may be worth loser by his visits to the county conventions. He will speak for his congress ional district at the Springfield lovebomicide at Weldon is yet a fruitful feast. Mr. Mason expects to be at Ol. praises for the glory that is yours, and ney January 27, when the Richland county Republicans meet in convention.

#### GOT THE DOLLS.

Ad Literally at Kokomo.

Tax Collectors' Bonds. These bonds have been filed with the county recorder:

Whitmore township-William Beadletic services, 1,000 addresses by temper- W. A. Brooks, S. M. Boyer, K. H. Roby ston, collector; bond, \$20,343.08, sureties, B. O. McReynolds. Hickory Point-D. A. Good, collector;

bond, \$24,193.72; sureties, L. B Casner, Wheatland-Frank N. Ward, collector; bond, \$18,378 90; sureties, John

Austin Joshua Hubbard, collector;

bond, \$43,322.84. Suretier, Warner All-came to Chicago with what inthe money sup, J. Crocker, S. A. Friedman.

bond, \$450,453.58. Sureties, represents ployed as a domestic in a bouse in tives of all Decatur banks and H. F. was a function cone and they made up

#### Pension Day.

be a very enjoyable event The hours to say, it burned, filling the room with a back smoke. There was no damage.

List night Officer Cross took in Hat Adams and Nell Clark for disorderly.

Adams and Nell Clark for disorderly conduct. Ever since the arrest the two women have been singing the praises of is sularly delaying on the slights need to some country clerk or notary public, who examines them to see that all is correct and then attaches has official seal, after which the documents are sent to then pension office in the first are sent to the pension office in the country public, who examines them to say, it burned, filling the room with a be presented to some country clerk or notary public, who examines them to see that all is correct and then attaches has official seal, after which the documents are sent to then pension office in the first are sent to the pension of the street. Almost continuously during the praises of is sularly delaying the praises of is sularly delaying on the street and ceruncates or pensioners must noou as treet in country appears to say, it burned, filling the room with a be presented to some country clerk or notary public, who examines them to say, it burned, filling the room with a be presented to some country clerk or notary public, who examines them to say, it burned, filling the room with a be presented to some country clerk or notary public, who examines them to say, it burned, filling the room with a be presented to some country clerk or notary public, who examines them to see that all is correct and then attaches has official seal, after which the department for three years. He is marked to some country clerk or notary public, who examines them to say, it burned, filling the year ago

The say is the result of the secured a position as patrol wagon or notary public, who examines them to say it because the say in the secured a position as patrol wagon or notary public, who examines them to say it is the district to which the pensioner being the many years' separation be has longs, and a draft is sent direct to the been advertising and searching for his beneficiary, which closes the transaction, brothers and sister, but without suc The fact that most notaries charge a Soon after her brother left the Glenpers to the court house clerks. The ing by working in families. Although highest pension paid is \$72. Some draw 530, others \$24, and so on down to \$6. Pensioners who failed to bring their their content of the court broad and a longing to meet her brothers once again, although Pensioners who failed to bring their she remembered little concerning th Illiopolis at the advanced age of 82 years. certificates with them will have to produce them before the vouchers can be signed up.

#### TO THE CHILDREN.

Do You Know What Home Is?

Enjoyment to You?-Do You Know It Will Some Day Be Broken !-- Story of a Broken Home.

Boys and girls, those of you who have

home, with all that it implies, a home where father and mother are, where all the brothers and sisters are; an unbroken circle, where every member of it may each day see the faces of each other member of it; have you ever thought how much it means and how much you should like it, and now much you should do to make everything pleasant about it? Let's see. Death has never invaded your home. Then you don't know how a sad a thing it is to Denison, Texas—Large streams frozon lose a member of the home. Do you over, with a coal famine, owing to a believe it? Only those who have passed through it know how much it means to MASON'S ACTIVE CANVASS lose a father or mother or brother or sister. You are a boy. You are out at Will Speak at as Many Republican play. Suddenly you need a knife. You explore your pockets and cannot find one. You then begin to know how valuable a knife is. You cannot know fully Chicago Tribune: Hon. William E. how precious and valuable the love and Asson of Chicago is a candidate for the the counsel of father and mother is until United States Senate and intends to they are gone. Sometimes you think that visit a number of Republican county father and mother are too exacting; conventions before the state convention that they really do not give you the meets. He favors the policy of nomina- liberty you want, and sometimes you ting a candidate for the Senate at the almost let the ugly thought creep into state convention and wants the instruct your mind that you would be better off if they were dead. You don't know that

Now turn your thoughts from your own home and think how many homes there are that are broken. How many boys and girls there are whose mother Two Little Girls Take a Merchant's or father, or perhaps both, have been called from earth and from the care of their children. They will never come Кокомо, Ind., Jan. 3.--For a week a back and the gloom in the hearts of dry goods dealer of this city advertised these orphans is there to stay until it is dolls for a song." Yesterday two little worn out by their own efforts to get girls, children of Alfred Miller, went into along in the world. There is more even the store, and clambering up on the than this. Very often when the father dest of all. Read the following story from the Chicago Journal about a fam ily of orphans in Chicago and you will appreciate what a home is to you and what the world has in atore for the fam

everything to you in after life. If your

home is still complete enjoy it every

hour and let your little heart sing

do all you can to make it pleasant.

ily that is broken up: Capt. Koch's office at Harrison street police station last night was the scene of the reurion of a family, the members of which had not seen each other for John Hamilton, a plumber, lived with his wife and four children on Wabash avenue. Three of the latter were boys and one a girl. The mother died seen afterwards, leaving the four children on the father's hands. Soon after the mother was buried the family was bro-ken up, two of the boys, Henry and Wilham, being cent to the Newsboys' Home while the girl, Gertride, and the young

ent boy, Garfield, were taken care of at the Glenwood School.
Garfield stayed at Glenwood about two years, when he obtained a position on a farm in Wisconsin, where he re-Maroa--Henry M. Funk, collector; to an early a desire to Decatur-A. S. Morgan, collector; he had been able to save After several days' search he found Gentrude emwas a touching one and they their minds to find their brothers, William and Henry.

A few days ago Garfield and Gertrude

called at the Harrison street police sta-tion and told their story there. Gartield Let For \$37,450.

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E. A. Gastman, member of the State Board of Education, was at Normal yesterday to assist in letting the contract for the new gymnasium building to be erected. M. Yeager & Co., of Danville, additionant the west Thirteeth street founds belonging to the Illinois Central secured the contract at \$37,450, which record the contract at \$37,450, which is \$2,550 less than the appropriation.

The Pacemaker bicycle company at Des Moines, Iowa, went to the wall vest the Harrison street police station, where

Des Moines, Iowa, went to the wall yes he met his long separated brother and terday.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Later U.S. Gov't Report





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